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ARRANGE FOR RED CROSS 'DRIVE'

ALL INTERESTED ATTEND THE MEETING AT 7.30 TONIGHT.

$2,613 HAS ALREADY BEEN SUBSCRIBED

Membership Dues Are Not Obligatory After First Year — All Donations Voluntary.

Previously reported	$2,183
Farmers Trust Company	250
McDonald Employes	32
Dorothy Pierce	25
H. L. Haines	25
Mrs. W. J. Montgomery	25
U. S. Wright	25
J. C. Allender	10
Cash	10
Haines Bunch	10
Prof. Henry A. Foster	5
F. P. Reuillard	5
Mrs. C. W. Thorp	5
Mrs. Dennis Morrisey	2
Maye A. Growney	1
Total	$2,613

Dr. F. R. Anthony and Fred P. Robinson, in charge of the Red Cross organization in Maryville, have called a meeting of those interested in the work to be held in the Commercial Club rooms at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

At this meeting arrangements for the big "drive" in Maryville will be made. Teams will be appointed for each locality and a house-to-house canvass of the whole city will be conducted. In this way it is expected that the Red Cross fund will increase by leaps and bounds.

Plans will also be made for Red Cross Day, on which a special effort will be made to secure funds for the campaign. All those who have paid in to the Red Cross fund are urged to attend and to take active part in the work of making the "drive" in Maryville a success.

A general misunderstanding of the membership in the Red Cross seems to be prevalent. Chairmen over the county say that they have difficulty in getting persons to take out memberships as they are not willing to take the obligation of paying their fee annually. "There is no obligation of this sort," said Doctor Anthony this morning. "Because a person pays a dollar is no sign he has to pay it next year. The donations to any part of the work are entirely voluntary, and no one is obligated to pay a cent that he does not wish to."

A unique method of getting subscriptions for the Red Cross was suggested by one man. He said that $5 should be given for every 160 acres in the county.

Committees and clubs are urged to address Fred P. Robinson, the secretary, for information and to aid in the work. If a branch is not desired a donation will be gratefully accepted by the nearest town branch.

$30 From Alderman-Yehle Clerks.

The Alderman-Yehle clerks made up a purse of $30 for the Red Cross fund at the store this morning. This makes the total from the Alderman-Yehle store $80, Merrill Alderman and Conrad Yehle having each subscribed $25.

She Gave "Until It Hurt."

Mrs. Dennis Morrissey, who is on the list today for a $2 donation is one who may say that she gave "until it hurt." Mrs. Morrissey, who is a hard working woman, has had bad luck this year. The rats made away with 250 of her chickens and the rain washed out the garden at her little home north of Maryville. And yet, she had $2 from her meagre earnings to give to the soldier boys and would not be satisfied with giving less.

To Visit North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Bellows and children, Donald and Mary Jane, left this morning for Bottineau, N. D., to visit Mrs. Bellows' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McMillen.

Ladies' Aid Society of Baptist Church will give an

Ice Cream Social

on church lawn Friday evening June 29, for benefit of Red Cross Society. Ice Cream and cake 15c.

NO DETAILS OF ACCIDENT

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Costello Return to Maryville Tonight—Miss Mullin's Body Shipped Home.

Ed Costello, who was in the automobile accident at Lentner, Mo., yesterday in which his cousin, Miss Mary Mullin, was killed, will return to Maryville tonight. He will be accompanied home by Mrs. Costello and Dr. F. M. Ryan, who went to Lentner, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sanders of Maryville, cousins of Miss Mullin, who was about 50 years old, will take the body to Middletown, O., and will attend the funeral.

Details of the accident have not yet been learned. The Cameron Daily News has a short account of the accident. The car, according to the News, was struck by a Burlington train about 9:35 o'clock yesterday morning on a crossing just west of Lentner. According to the account Mr. Costello was trying to beat the train across the track and killed his engine on the crossing.

Mr. Costello is uninjured, but is not feeling very well, his relatives say.

COBURNS WILL COME BACK

Popularity of Players Fully Attested by Overflow Crowd at "Julius Caesar" Last Night.

The Coburn players will have a return engagement to Maryville, according to President Richardson. The arrangements for their coming and the plays that will be given will be announced later.

An enormous crowd witnessed the rendition of "Julius Caesar," which was given in the Normal auditorium last night. In fact, everybody said that this was the best play of all. The characters were splendid in their parts and showed the highest art in giving the Shakespeare tragedy.

The afternoon play, "Much Ado About Nothing," which is one of Shakespeare's lighter plays, was greatly enjoyed by the afternoon crowd.

The series of plays on the whole was the best attended of any since the Coburns have been coming. Their popularity grows each year among those who love the better things in dramatic art.

DOLLAR DAY, SATURDAY

Merchants Preparing to Offer Splendid Bargains in Addition to Rebate Feature.

Dollar Day, one of the greatly anticipated days of Trade Week, will be held on Saturday this time. In addition to the rebates which are offered to all who come from a distance, the Maryville people will have a chance to "get in on" the bargains of Dollar Day.

The plan of Dollar Day is this: Each merchant offers scores of things that may be had for a dollar. Many of these things are real values both in merchandise and groceries. All of the city merchants are now behind the movement and are anxious to show you their dollar offerings for Trade Week. They invite every person in the county to come for this last day and to visit their stores.

WILL USE HANDS, TOO

Burlington Junction Women Form Red Cross Society for Home Aid.

The women of Burlington Junction are not only interested in giving to the Red Cross fund, but they are also very anxious to take part in the work that is done by that and similar organizations.

Forty women who are anxious to do their part met last week and organized a Red Cross association, electing the following officers: President, Mrs. E. S. Cossins; vice-president, Mrs. C. B. Zarn; secretary, Miss Elizabeth Ordning, and treasurer, Mrs. Charles Williams.

The line of work has not been decided upon yet, but it is thought that the Surgical dressings work will be taken up.

Has New Delivery Wagon.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods store has a brand new Ford delivery wagon which R. G. Allan is learning to drive today.

SPY LEADER ARRESTED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, June 27.—Albert Webber, an officer of the German army, and declared by the police to be director of the spy system in the United States, was arrested today.

THE COUNTY WORK

BURLINGTON JUNCTION LEADS WITH $907 FOR RED CROSS.

OTHER TOWNS AT WORK

Organization in Most Places Just About Completed — Clearmont and Elmo Report.

Reports on the Red Cross work in the county indicate that the campaign for funds is going forward with a rush.

Burlington Junction now heads the list with $970 to its credit. Miss Lucile Mae Carter, at the head of the work in the town, and several of her helpers decided that the $1,000 goal was too easy and made further plans. They have set the date for the completion of the work for July 7, and they will make it a township enterprise. They will co-operate with the Commercial club and a canvass of all outlying districts in the vicinity of Burlington Junction will be made.

The work at Graham will take on an added impetus as soon as a few meetings are held and a canvass is commenced. Besides the $150 reported from the town yesterday, S. A. Jones in charge of the campaign there, reports $55 more as follows: M. M. Rhoades, $25; P. L. Trapp, $25; and Dan McGrew, $5.

More Than $200 at Clearmont.

The Clearmont branch of the Red Cross under the temporary management of Roy Hanna reports a collection of more than $200 for its first "drive." The work will be continued indefinitely and an effort will be made to canvass the entire county. The donors reported today by Mr. Hanna are:

$25—John A. Burch, A. H. Garrett.

$12.50—L. M. Cummins, Roy F. Hanna.

$10—Mrs. Agnes Garrett Forcade.

$5—Ladies' Aid of Christian church, Ned T. Garrett, J. C. Robison, W. W. Linebaugh, Pence & Hornbuckle, James Milbank, Howard Garrett.

$4—Christian Sunday school.

$2.50—B. C. Sowers, J. G. Baker, J. T. Smith, A. H. Kelley.

$2—W. R. Rogers, W. P. Davis, P. H. Walker.

$1—W. L. Peery, Kenneth Rogers, Mrs. William Pence, Robert Pence, Walter Davis, Mrs. Flora Newlon, Estella Green, J. H. Bailey, John W. Gohn, W. A. Griffey, A. P. Skeed, R. Lebonia, W. T. Humphrey, Edgar Pence, Elbert Pence, Mrs. Dowell, Mrs. Edgar Pence, Mr. Folk, Mrs. Holland, Ray Hopple, J. E. Hornbuckle, S. T. Davison, G. E. Matlock, Mrs. Charles McDermott, Neva McDermott, Mrs. Eva Davis, Cleo Lane, J. W. Smith, Charles Bears, Addie Carpenter, Ollie Carpenter, L. C. Livengood, J. E. Dew, J. W. Biggs, J. N. Billingsley, J. T. Blackford, Guy C. Clary, W. J. Linebaugh, C. A. Skeed, William Pence, D. E. Pence, C. H. Bancroft, W. L. Simpson, J. L. Curry, John McDermott, D. A. Wallace, J. H. Clary, Ira Newlon, O. O. Gregory, R. C. Stewart, W. P. Moore, R. N. Noblett, Schuyler Donnel, Jack Glenn, James D. Newlon, Dr. Wiley, Ned Smith, O. D. Kent, John Maddox.

50 cents—W. W. Criger, F. C. Combs.

On the Boom at Elmo.

Elmo's "bit" is going to be a big one, if the committee working on subscriptions in that vicinity keeps up its good work. A report to Fred P. Robinson from Z. R. Alexander gives a total of $240.75, and not half of the people in the district have been approached for donations.

$100—George P. Shoptaugh.

$25—C. E. Graham.

$10—Robert Campbell, Citizens' State Bank, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lamar, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lamar.

$5—J. S. Wood, R. R. Joy, Letta Grove, J. D. Tudder, E. C. James, Platt Colvin, Dr. R. E. Ferguson, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Neely.

$3—Z. R. Alexander, W. C. James.

$2.50—Mr. and Mrs. William Bucker.

$2—Clark D. Horn, H. R. Peery, E. A. Walton, M. N. Yetter, T. A. King, Grant Elrod, W. D. Reece, Mrs. Mary L. Clardy.

$1—S. T. Gates, S. M. DeVault, B. L. Moore, Gates Bros., Stephen Lamar, M. E. Church, A. J. McIntosh, Donna Lamar's Sunday School Class, Guy Johnston, William Price, Orr Kinman.

25 cents—B. H. Livengood.

H. E. Hiles of Burlington Junction gave $10 to the Red Cross fund.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

DRESSINGS ARRIVE

OFFERINGS OF SURGICAL UNITS ARE NOW ON WAY TO FRANCE.

ALL MATERIAL IS USED

Headquarters Assures Women That Work is Appreciated and Urges Increased Out-Put.

The 470 surgical dressings that were recently sent to the headquarters of the National Surgical Dressings association in New York by the local surgical dressings units of Maryville have been received and sent to the Foreign Distributing Bureau.

This word was received yesterday by the women in charge of the work. An urgent appeal to increase the output of the organization in Maryville was made by those working at headquarters.

The erroneous opinion that the dressings sent by the organizations are not used was contradicted in the letter which acknowledged the receipt of the Maryville donation. It said:

"We assure you that no dressing, no tiniest piece of material is ever thrown away. We don't get anything like enough bandages for the work."

In response to the need felt in European hospitals for the rolled bandages, the hospital unit is working on this kind of surgical dressing exclusively. They will send between 400 and 500 of those dressings to headquarters next week.

The New York Times has an article this week regarding the recognition paid to the National Surgical Dressings association and its co-operation with the Red Cross.

"The National Surgical Dressings association is recognized in all of the countries covered by its bureaus," the article says, "and the surgeons of all countries have expressed approval of the types of dressings. About 1,500 hospitals in Europe are supplied by the association, and each hospital is given just the type of dressing for which it asks. In this way, no material is wasted. The surgeons from each country order from the foreign bureaus just the kind of supplies he needs and they are sent.

"The association co-operates with the Red Cross, because as a committee which has specialized in one line of work, the workers have become experts, and are able to assist the Red Cross very materially in its needs. Thousands of hospitals are supplied through the association."

Mrs. B. E. Blackney in behalf of the Intellectual Club at Hopkins sent word to Mrs. E. G. Orear, chairman of the association that five members had pledged $2.50 a month to be sent to the Surgical units of Maryville to purchase supplies.

Nearly all of the surgical dressing work is done at the Carnegie Library and the shipping is done from there. All of the work is inspected by Mrs. W. J. Osburn.

SEVEN RECRUITS TODAY

Charles Middleton of Maryville and Seven Burlington Men Join the U. S. Army.

Seven recruits, one from Maryville and six from Burlington Junction enlisted in the United States Army from the local recruiting station yesterday. They left this morning for Kansas City where they will remain a few days before being sent to their various camps.

Charles Middleton, 19 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton of Maryville, enlisted in the infantry. He will go from Kansas City to Jefferson Barracks, near St. Louis.

Those from Burlington Junction were: Roy A. Dolph and Orville Ellsworth, who enlisted in the medical corps and Raymond Hornburg, Harry Piveral, William Puett, Arthur Nelson, who enlisted in the signal corps.

Ravenwood Campaign Organized.

The Ravenwood campaign will be organized under the direction of the G. A. R. Circle. Committees will be appointed and a house-to-house canvass will be made. The Farmers' club which meets Friday evening will also assist in the work of collecting the funds.

ORCHESTRA DANCE

Thursday Night, June 28

Admission 50 cents

W. O. W. HALL

Mr. and Mrs. Will Foster and Maulding's Orchestra

"MONARCH OF ALL HE SURVEYS."

—Rehse in New York World.

MEN TO DECIDE ON DRAFT

Nodaway County Exemption Board, Composed of Sheriff, Clerk and Physician.

Sheriff John Dowden, County Clerk Fred Yeomans and Dr. Frank C. Wallis will compose the exemption board for Nodaway county. This board will handle the selection of the men from Nodaway county who may be chosen for military service under the selective draft.

BOARD OF REGENTS SESSION

Will Officially Award Commencement Diplomas — Five Members Are Present.

The annual business meeting of the board of regents of the State Normal school is being held this afternoon. The members of the board in attendance are W. A. Blagg of this city, W. H. Weightman of Mound City, Charles L. Mosley of Stanberry, George N. Gromer, of Pattonsburg, and State Superintendent of Schools Uel Lamkin of Jefferson City.

In addition to taking up business matters, the board will make the official award of diplomas for the commencement the forepart of June.

INVESTIGATE ACCIDENT

O. W. Withan, Greenfield, Ia., Attorney, Here Investigating Accident in While John Goss Was Killed

O. W. Withan, an attorney of Greenfield, Ia., and Bert Griffey of Orient, Ia., arrived in Maryville today making an investigation of the automobile accident which took place last Thursday morning in which John Goss of Orient, Ia., lost his life and Bert Cozad was injured. They were in conference with Judge W. M. Blackford of the county court this afternoon. They are here to see if some action can be brought against the county as it is claimed there was no mark or board against the west end of the bridge to show that the bridge was not passable.

READY FOR WAR WORK

Misses Lucile Mae and Marie Carter of Burlington Junction Are Prepared to Be Nurses' Aids.

Miss Lucile Mae Carter, head of the Red Cross campaign in Burlington Junction, and her sister, Miss Marie Carter, are qualified to go to the front as assistants to Red Cross nurses.

The two girls, who received their A. B. degrees at Simpson College, Indianola, Ia., last year, took a "Red Cross course in Elementary Hygiene and Home Care of the Sick," while in school. They passed the examinations which were held at the conclusion of the course and were given certificates, which entitle them to serve as nurses' aids. Consequently, they are well prepared to take up active work if necessary.

RAINFALL IS 2 INCHES

Total Precipitation for Two Days Was 3.56 — Two Bridges Are Washed Out.

The total rainfall for the last two days was 3.56 inches, according to J. R. Brink, official weather observer. The rain which began last night and which fell at intervals until early this morning, amounted to 2 inches.

The County Court received word that two bridges had been washed out in the county as a result of the 2-day showers. One of these was on the Quitman road, west of Maryville and the other was east of Bedison. The judges say that three crews are working every minute to repair the damage done by the summer rains and that they will work as long as the money lasts.

TICKET SALE IS SLOW

Committee Asks Guarantors and Others to Buy Chautauqua Tickets Before July 10.

The Chautauqua ticket sale is slow — slower than it should be say the members of the committee in charge of the arrangements.

"We urge all who intend to buy tickets for the Chautauqua to do so at once," said one of the committee today. "The tickets will positively rise in price after July 10, and it will pay all who want tickets to take advantage of the first price for which they are offered."

Many persons throughout the county are delighted that the Chautauqua grounds will be in Normal Park. This will undoubtedly increase the attendance of out-of-town visitors to the Chautauqua. The tents have been ordered and will be on the ground as soon as needed.

ALLEGES INDIGNITIES AND DRINK

Martha Grace Jordan Wants Divorce and the Custody of Children.

A suit for a divorce was filed today by Martha Grace Jordan against Arthur G. Jordan on the ground of indignities. She alleges that the defendant was addicted to the use of liquor. The petition claims the defendant was finally run out of Clarinda on account of "bootlegging." The plaintiff asks for the custody of four minor children and that her maiden name as Martha Grace Porter be restored to her. Cook & Cummins are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Lloyd Sidney of Grant City is in Maryville on business today.

"DRYS" WINNING

SENATE AGRICULTURAL COMMITTEE ADOPTS PROVISION.

BAR WHISKEY AND BEER

President Will Have Authority to Permit or Forbid the Making of Wine.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, June 27.—The Senate agriculture committee this afternoon rejected the sub-committee prohibition amendment to the food control bill and adopted in its stead a provision under which beer and whiskey will be prohibited and authority will be given President Wilson to permit the manufacture of wines only. This is more drastic than the sub-committee plan.

As it now stands the use of foodstuffs in the manufacture of beer and distilled liquors will be flatly prohibited, while the President will exercise his discretion permitting or forbidding the making of wine.

Washington, June 27.—"Bone dry" prohibition for the United States rests with President Wilson today. Should he indicate willingness to accept the responsibility, it is admitted that the senate will jam through an amended food control bill which will prohibit the further manufacture of distilled spirits and delegate to the President the responsibility for deciding whether vinous and malt liquors are to be manufactured and sold during the remainder of the war period. The senate plainly desires to "pass the buck."

The amendment would permit the President by proclamation to permit only the brewing of beer and light wines.

A poll taken of the Senate today, by members of that body, between a compromise and a straight "bone dry" proposition, disclosed that the Senate is so unevenly divided that one vote may make the Nation absolutely "dry" or just "near dry" during the war.

Raps Federal Trade Commission.

Washington, June 27.—The federal trade commission was called on to explain why it did not force the alleged print paper combination to desist its illegal and unfair practices in a resolution introduced in the senate by Senator Reed of Missouri. In a statement Reed charges that the commission has the power under the existing law to summarily compel the paper manufacturers forthwith to stop their unfair practice but that it has taken no step to do so although conclusive proof of the violation of the laws has been in its possession for more than a year.

HARBOR BILL PASSES.

Washington, June 27.—The house today passed the harbor bill appropriating $27,000,000. It will be expended for waterway improvements in all parts of the country.

TRY RETAKING GROUND

British Raid German Trenches Inflicting Casualties and Damaging Works.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, June 27.—An attempt by the Germans to re-capture the ground lost in the sector of Fontainelles and Croiselles on the Arras front was repulsed, the British war office announced today. In Oppy sector also on the Arras front, the British raided the German trenches in flicting casualties to the garrison and damages to the works.

GUN DUELLING SEVERE.

Paris, June 27.—A violent artillery battle raged throughout the night, north of Aisne river. Big gun duelling was especially severe, the war office announced.

THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; warmer tonight north portion.

Feature Tonight

Empire Theatre

5 and 10 cents

Metro Picture Service, with

VIOLA DANA

The favorite of children from 6 to 60,

—in—

Light of Happiness

A Wonderplay of Beauty, Romance and Power.

Tomorrow—"A Son of Erin."

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New White Poplin Pumps in plain and strap. Priced $2.50 and $2.75

Coats Cotton Thread, Spool 4c

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THE YOUNGEST MOVIE STAR

Viola Dana Will Be Seen at Empire Tonight in "The Light of Happiness."

Viola Dana, the youngest legitimate star in motion pictures, and one of the most capable artists now appearing on the screen, will be seen here at the Empire Theatre tonight in "The Light of Happiness," a five-part Metro wonderplay, produced by the Columbia Pictures corporation. This delightful comedy-drama was written especially for Miss Dana by John H. Collins, who also directed the screen production. In the cast with Miss Dana are Edward Earle, Lorraine Frost, Harry Linson, Jack Busby, Mona Kingsley and Robert Walker. Miss Dana was last seen on the Metro program in "The Flower of No Man's Land." Miss Dana has a large following among theatregoers who remember her finished work as the star in "The Poor Little Rich Girl," which enjoyed a long run when Miss Dana was but twelve years old.

Visits Maryville Friends.

Mrs. Grace Sims of Ft. Smith, Ark., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Maulding and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Godsey. Mrs. Sims was formerly Mrs. Grace Rickard of Maryville.

George Robert Palfreyman Arrives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Palfreyman announce the birth of a son, George Robert, born this morning.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

When the Skin Seems Ablaze With Itching and Burning

There's just one thing to do.

If your skin seems ablaze with the fiery burning and itching of Eczema, real and lasting relief can only come from treatment that goes below the surface—that reaches down to the very source of the trouble. So-called skin-diseases come from a disordered condition of the blood, and the proper treatment is through the blood.

Search far and near, and you cannot find a blood remedy that approaches S. S. S. for real efficiency. It has been on the market for fifty years, during which time it has been giving uniform satisfaction for all manner of blood disorders. If you want prompt and lasting relief, you can rely upon S. S. S. For expert advice as to the treatment of your own individual case, write to-day to Chief Medical Adviser, Swift Specific Co., Dept. C Atlanta, Ga.

Rebate Week

June 25 - 30

On all tires or tubes brought in to us for repairs in this week, whether taken out then or not, we will give rebate. On all new tires or tubes or tire accessories bought this week we will give rebate.

We are not "beginners" in tire repair work—we have spent 11 years at this one trade alone. We have the only RETREADING machine in northwest Missouri. We don't "sew" tires together and call it retreading. Come in and see some of our work and let us explain it to you.

We sell Fisk and Mohawk Tires.

Maryville Tire & Rubber Co.

Half block north of Postoffice.
Phones—Hanamo 34; Farmers 248

THURSDAY BAND PROGRAM

March—"The Guiding Star," (Laurendeau).

Grand Selection—"Maritana" (Wallace).

Fox Trot—"Love Me At Twilight," (Schultz).

"Turkish Patrol" (Laurendeau).

Fantasia—Clarinet Solo—"How Can I Leave Thee" (Ritter).

Two-Step—"Jane" (Mohr).

Descriptive Piece — "A Hunting Scene, (Meyrelles).

"Barcarole" (From Tales of Hoffman), (Offenbach).

March—"Gate City" (Weldon).

DAVE FERRIS ARRESTED.

Receives $20 Fine for Drunkenness in Police Court.

Dave Ferris was fined $20 by Mayor Robey today for being drunk. The fine and the costs amounted to $25 which was paid by Mr. Ferris. Ferris said he is having the liquor sent to him from St. Joseph. Mayor Robey told Ferris he would fine him the limit every time he was picked up for being drunk. Ferris was arrested a short time ago on the same charge.

MEXICAN SHIPS DESTROYED.

12,000 Gallons of Gasoline Explode in Vessel—British Consul Recalled.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Mexico City, June 27.—The Mexican ship Soberano was destroyed in the Frontera harbor today when twelve thousand gallons of gasoline aboard exploded.

The British consul, Richards, left for London today, having received an urgent recall from his government. High importance is attached to the action and it probably deals with negotiations which England, France and the United States are carrying on to secure the reduction of taxes and assessments on Mexican oil.

DOMESTIC TROUBLES IN SPAIN.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, June 27.—Domestic troubles of the gravest sort again loomed up in Spain today frontier dispatches said. The unrest has increased in some quarters with the declaration of martial law. The agitators are urging the people to strike at once for a republic.

U. S. SAILING SHIP LOST.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, June 27.—The United States sailing ship, Galena, from New York to France has been submarined. No casualties have been reported.

WILL LOSE CRUISER, OLYMPIA.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Block Island, R. I., June 27.—The United States cruiser, Olympia, which ran aground in the fog yesterday, will be lost. It is feared her bulkhead and her magazine were smashed.

Washout Delays Wabash.

The Wabash morning passenger train due here at 6 o'clock was six hours late arriving a tnoon, on account of a washout between Chillicothe and Gallatin.

Visiting Nusbaums.

Roy Pepperberg, who is on his way from Atlanta, Ga., to his home in Lincoln, Neb., arrived in Maryville last night for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. Nusbaum. Mrs. Pepperberg and son, Louis, who are also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nusbaum will accompany Mr. Pepperberg to their home in Lincoln.

HOUSEWIVES' HELP

ALL SHOULD PRESERVE SURPLUS FOODSTUFFS THIS YEAR.

SKILL NOT ESSENTIAL

Fresh Products, Cleanliness and Heat the Chief Requirements for Successful Work.

Washington, D. C., June 26.—"Every housewife this year should restore to her home the often overlooked home industries of canning, preserving, pickling and drying of perishable fruits or vegetables," said David F. Houston, Secretary of Agriculture, today. "The large number of new backyard gardens which has been planted this year shortly will begin to yield their extra harvest of beans, peas, carrots, beets, sweet corn, and tomatoes. The regular supplies also will reach the markets and, as happens each summer, the local supply at times will exceed immediate consumptive capacity. Not to conserve much of this surplusage of valuable food would be sinful waste.

Much Individual Responsibility.

"The present food and labor situations are such that no household is justified in looking to others to release it wholly from individual responsibility and constructive action in saving and conserving food. All any home should expect of others is to supply those foods which can not be produced effectively by its own members. The railroads will be burdened with the transportation of staple foods and civil and military necessaries from localities of production and manufacture to districts incapable of supplying their own needs. It follows that all locally produced foods, conserved by home methods, lessen the winter pressure on transportation agencies and also release similar products of factories for other purposes.

"I urge every household, therefore, to can all surplus perishable products for which they have containers and to dry and keep in paper any additional surplus suitable for such preservation.

No Special Skill Needed.

"Canning calls for no special skill and for little equipment beyond a wash boiler and jars. Fresh products, cleanliness and heat are the chief requirements, as even sugar is not essential for canning fruits under modern procedure. Fruits and vegetables, moreover, can be dried efficiently in the sun, over a range or gas stove, or before an electric fan. Homemade shallow trays of wood or heavy wire screen are the chief equipment required. Drying is a time-tried home industry; conservation of food by drying is largely a matter of restoring to the home great-grandmother's method of seeing that her family had good food in winter as a relief from a monotonous diet of root vegetables. Canning and drying can be practiced as effectively in a city house or apartment as on a farm or in a suburban dwelling.

Canning, Profitable Industry.

"Canning, of course, already is a profitable industry for women and children in thousands of homes and I trust will become almost universal this season. To aid the home conservation movement, the Department of Agriculture has issued a new Farmers' Bulletin on home canning, and another on home drying of fruits and vegetables. These free pamphlets should be read and followed in every household which wishes to translate patriotic impulse into concrete service."

CLARA M'CRARY SCALDED

9-Year-Old Child Seriously Injured When Pail of Boiling Water Spills on Her.

Clara McClary, the 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCrary, tenants on the Hal Hooker farm, five miles southwest of Maryville, was seriously scalded at 6:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

The child was lying down in front of the kitchen stove. Her mother was lifting a pail of boiling water from the stove when the bail broke spilling the contents over the little girl.

Dr. Will Wallis Jr., was called to dress the burns which are most severe on one whole side. The child's life was despaired of yesterday, but she is a little better today.

Will Return Tonight.

Mrs. P. O. Landon, who has been visiting her parents, at Carlinville, Ill., and Mr. Landon's mother, Mrs. Mary Landon, of Jerseyville, Ill., will return with her two sons, Truman and Kurt Landon, to their home in Maryville tonight. Mrs. Landon stopped in Mexico, Mo., for a short visit with Mr. Landon's sister,

Wes Miller of Burlington Junction is in Maryville on business today.

MARK THESE RED CROSS APPEALS.

President Woodrow Wilson—I hope that the response will be a demonstration of the generosity of America and the power of genuine practical sympathy among our people that will command the admiration of the whole world.

Ex-President William Howard Taft — The one thing, for which we ought to be grateful is that, in this great war, in which we will have to make secrifices — Oh such sacrifices —that we have a cause worthy of all the sacrifices that we can make.

Ex-President Theodore Roosevelt—I appeal to those not fortunate enough to have brothers or other dear ones going into the fighting line. Remember that, a year or so from now, when our boys are being wounded and need your aid, it will be too late. Do it now.

PLATTE VALLEY ITEMS

This very fine weather the farmers are busy in the fields, corn to plow, alfalfa and clover hay to harvest, and oats and wheat and rye will soon be ripe to harvest. So these are busy days for the plowman.

Mrs. W. E. Haden and daughters, Juanita and Geneva and son, William, of Independence, Mo., are visiting friends in the vicinity of Guilford this week.

M. V. Baker and wife and P. M. Jorgensen and wife of Barnard were visiting at S. E. Jobe's Sunday.

Pat Nelson and wife of Barnard attended the childrens exercises at the M. E. church Sunday in Guilford and were guests of their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

Andrew Nelson and family were Sunday guests of Martin Peterson and wife.

Paul Schmidt and family, Alvin Nelson and family and James Hansen and wife visited with Grandpa Jacobson Sunday, and celebrated his eighty-second birthday with a splendid chicken dinner.

Clarence and Frank Nelson and Ferman Kent spent Sunday with Waldon Winters.

O. K. Wales and family, Paul Winters and family, Leslie Winters and wife, Sam Aldridge and wife, John Aldridge and wife, Wray Kelley and wife of Rea, Mo., were guests Sunday afternoon of John Winters and family.

Elder B. J. Scott of St. Joseph, Bishop of the Far West Stake, has been spending the past two weeks visiting his brethren of the L. D. Saints' church in Guilford, Bedison and Sweet Home branches.

John Rowlett and family of Mound City, Mo., were guests at the home of R. P. Anderson and family Sunday. Mrs. Rowlett was formerly Miss Florence Anderson.

Mrs. Bedwell and Fay Harman and wife of Bolckow were guests Sunday of John McKee and family.

Miss Salena Torrance is working for Mrs. Joseph Oliver at present. She spent Sunday at home.

William Nelson and family of Guilford and Mrs. W. E. Haden and daughters, Juanita and Geneva, and son William, of Independence, Mo., spent Monday at the home of W. B. Torrance and family.

Next Wednesday—

JULY FOURTH

being a
Legal Holiday

This Store Will Be
Closed All Day

Haines
Has It Cheaper

A very fine and refreshing shower of rain fell Tuesday which will cause the corn to grow very fast, as well as all other vegetation.

Rosewood Reserve is Shipped.

Fred Bellows leaves today for Bickett, Mont. On his way he will have charge of Rosewood Reserve, the Shorthorn bull, which brought $8,100 at the Bellows Brothers sale, having been sold to Mrs. J. A. McCauley of Bickett. The animal will be sent to Montana in a Wells-Fargo express car and the charges for shipment will be $666. Another Shorthorn cow was also taken in this shipment to Mrs. McCauley.

Mr. Bellows will visit in California before returning to Maryville.

Mrs. Spoonemore Returns.

Mrs. Will Spoonemore of Ravenwood, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Christena Combs, returned to her home today. She was accompanied by her nephew, Teddy Lee Norris, who will visit her several weeks.

Arranges For Maryville Day.

W. C. Pearson, chairman of the Entertainment committee of the Maryville Commercial Club, went to St. Joseph today to complete arrangements for Maryville day, which will be held at St. Joseph soon.

GUILFORD ITEMS

Uncle Jim LaMasters, 74 years old, a farmer living near Guilford, was in town Saturday and says he has about eight acres of alfalfa which looks unusually fine. His corn is looking well also. Uncle Jim also raises a great many turkeys, but says they are not doing well this year and Thanksgiving turkeys will be high this year.

Rev. O. E. Lockart, pastor of the Methodist church of Guilford, is attending the Epworth League Conference which is being held at Sparta.

Tom Farnan has established a distributing agency for the F. L. Collins Oil company at Guilford.

F. L. McClintock, assistant treasurer of the Bank of Guilford, who has been visiting relatives in Iowa, returned yesterday to his home.

Paul Sisson and Fred P. Robinson, of Maryville, were in Guilford Saturday in connection with the Red Cross society.

A meeting for the organization of the Red Cross society at Guilford will be held Thursday evening. Everyone is invited to come and help to make this a permanent organization.

Miss Elizabeth Saunders returned last night from a business trip to St. Joseph.

Patriotism and Business

Every good citizen at this time should do his share toward strengthening the Federal Reserve Banking System which our Government has created with its billion dollars of resources to stand back of its member banks and all their depositors.

You can contribute directly to the strength of this system, and at the same time secure its protection by depositing your money with us, since part of every dollar you deposit with us goes directly into the new system, where it is always ready for you when wanted.

This is a suggestion for prompt action.

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Member Federal Reserve System

IT TAKES THREE Clocks To Properly Equip A Home

One of them you keep in the bed room to arouse you from your morning slumbers. The ones with a moderately loud alarm called *"OUR SLEEP DISTURBER,"* costs you $1.25. The Big Ben with the noisy alarm $2.50.

The living room needs a more or less ornate clock. These mantle clocks are to be had at this store in various styles, and cost you $5.50 to $25.00.

Last but not least every home needs a Kitchen Clock. In fact the house wife or cook must have some kind of a timepiece to properly cook your food. Price $4.50 to $5.50.

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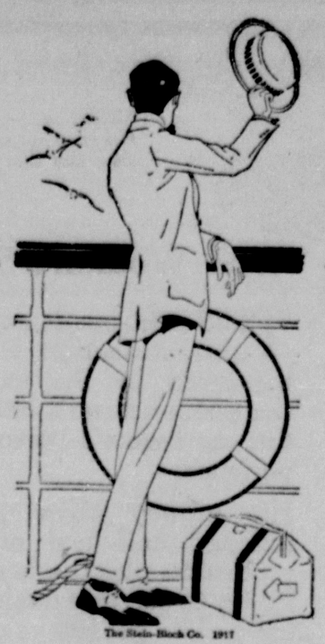

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We have surpassed every previous effort in assembing our display of Two-Piece Outing and Business Suits for Men and Young Men.
Exclusive Models are shown in PALM BEECH, KOOL KLOTH, TWEEDS and TROPICAL WORSTEDS. A mammoth display at

$7.50 to $20.00

Outing Trousers
SOME SPECIAL VALUES, this week
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Clothing Co.

Returns to Colorado.

Mrs. C. H. Cambron of Pueblo, Colo., returned home yesterday morning after a six weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. William Doran and with her two brothers, John and Ed Allen.

Here From Kentucky.

Mrs. A. C. Debow of Princeton, Ky., arrived in Maryville Sunday night and is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur M. Crooke.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

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Hager's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hager entertained Mr. and Mrs. Will Montgomery at a four-course 6 o'clock dinner Monday evening at the Linville hotel.

Burch's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burch of Bedison, entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carmichael and son Donald, of near Pickering, Esther, Mabel, Ethel, Mary and Martha Burch, Frank, Forrest, George Harold Jr. Burch and the host and hostess.

For Mrs. Alkire.

Mrs. Ed Godsey and daughter, Olivette, entertained a few of their close friends at a Kensington yesterday afternoon at their home on West Fourth street, in honor of Mrs. Will Alkire of Pomona, Calif., who is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Ray. The house was prettily decorated with garden flowers. Light refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Hostess.

The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. D. J. Thomas. Mrs. Frank Shoemaker Jr., of Oklahoma City, Okla., Mrs. Edgar Schilder of New Orleans, Miss Carrie Margaret Baker and Mrs. Oliver K. Bovard were guests. Mrs. Schilder won the guest prize and Miss Carrie Margaret Baker won the game prize.

Hackett's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hackett entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Erma Hackett, who were recently married. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burks, the Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Dayhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Null, and Mr. and Mrs. Erma Hackett; Misses Marie and Mildred Burks, Katherine, Lois, Ruth Lee and Mary Eunice Dayhoff, Airs and Marjorie Hackett; Harry Dayhoff, Paul Russell, and Allen Burks, Soren Hackett and Ray Hackett of Burlington Junction.

No Name Club Has Picnic.

The Parnell No Name Club met Sunday afternoon in the woods, southeast of Parnell. A picnic supper was served and games were played. The members present were. Misses Matie Evans, Blanche Bloomfield, Rosetta Klaas, Marie Berg, Agnes Klaas, Ella Farrell, Lottie Bird, Lula and Myrtie Hutchison, Hazel Miller, Dora Miller, Gertrude Spire; Port Evans, Leo Berg, Henry Klaas, Noble Klaas, Martin Farrell, Tom Farrell, Byron Bird, Virgil Spoonemore, Ernest Sherlock, Forbe Starr, Fred Messbargar, Ed Hart, John Winslow and Will Boedecker.

Sunday Guests at Linville.

Clyde Kenkoda, Hugh Cowin, and G. C. Logsdon of Bethany formed a dinner party to th eLinville hotel Sunday.

Gail Bertram, Mae Anderson, Heibe Walker and Lula I. Bertram of Rockport were among those who registered at the Linville Hotel for dinner Sunday.

J. L. Brownlee, H. B. Stevenson and Mrs. H. B. Stevenson of Tarkio and Miss Ruth Tucker of Maryville were dinner guests at the Linville Hotel Sunday.

Ruth Parker, Maribel Harrison, Faye Phillips, Edith Phillips, Neil Morris and P. A. Morris of Clarinda, Ia., took dinner at the Linville Hotel Sunday.

Union Prayer Circle Meets.

The Union Prayer Circle met this morning at the home of Mrs. R. S. Braniger. The lesson this morning was the Ninth Psalm. About seven members were present. Next Wednesday the meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Smith and the lesson will be the Tenth Psalm.

Entertains at Bridge.

Mrs. Will Montgomery entertained a number of her friends at bridge this morning in honor of Mrs. Edgar Schilder of New Orleans, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barmann, and Mrs. Frank Shoemaker, Jr., of Oklahoma City, who is also visiting relatives in Maryville.

The Red Cross idea was carried out in the tally cards and also in the ices. Mrs. Ben Chandler won high score and the guest prize went to Mrs. Schilder. Mrs. Montgomery was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Harold Bellows. Those invited were: Miss Elise Jackson, Mrs. Edgar Schilder, Miss Ora Barmann, Mrs. Cleav Funk, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend ,Mrs. Frank Shoemaker, Jr., Mrs. Ralph Eversole, Mrs. Luther Forsyth, Mrs. Fred Wolfers, Misses Della and Kitty Grems, Miss Clara Sturm, Mrs. Fay Bellows, Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. M. L. Beattie, Mrs. Harold Bellows, Miss Dorothy Pierce, Misses Julia and Jeanette Tate, Mrs. George Baker, Miss Carrie Margaret Baker, Mrs. Ed Wolfert Mrs. Tom Wadley, Miss Ruth Montgomery and her guest, Miss Grace McAnulty of St. Joseph, Mrs. Ed Gray, Mrs. Lieber Holmes, Mrs. Arthur Hagar and Mrs. B. M. Chandler and Mrs. Oliver Bovard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Brady of Conception announce the birth of a son, born yesterday morning at St. Francis hospital.

The Quintessence of Egotism

By ESTHER VANDEVEER.

One morning a carriage stopped in the Boulogne wood in Paris.

"This is the place," said the occupant.

Alighting, he directed the coachman to drive on over a crest and wait. Then he began to pace idly back and forth, now turning to the east to admire the tints painted on the clouds by the coming god of day, now snapping off a blossoming head of clover or dandelion. He was an intellectual looking person, with a cast of countenance denoting the artistic or imaginative faculty, straight and slender, with a mass of black hair falling down over his coat collar.

Presently he took out his watch, noted the hour and muttered:

"It is time some of them should arrive."

A moment later the grinding of wheels was heard and another carriage came in sight, drove to where the man was standing, stopped, a gentleman alighted and stood face to face with the first comer. He was followed by two companions, one carrying a bundle of foils, the other a box.

"Ah, M. Charlier," said the newcomer, "why do I find you here alone? Where are the seconds?"

"Wait," said M. Charlier. "You are not the only person I am to meet this morning. There are several persons who wish to deprive me of my life, and I propose that all shall have a fair chance."

" 'First come, first served,' is a good rule. I solicit the privilege of taking my revenge before any one else has had a chance to deprive me of it. The insult I have received cannot possibly have been equaled. I demand an opportunity to show you"—

Meanwhile another carriage drove up, and out stepped another party. This time there were two men carrying foils and, as before, one bearing a box. The principal could easily be recognized from the surprise with which he noticed that a party similar to his own had arrived before him.

"Pardon me, gentlemen," he said. "What does this mean?"

"It means, M. de Musser," said Charlier, "that M. Rubidoux here, having demanded satisfaction, as you have done, is entitled to it as much as you."

"But M. Rubidoux cannot possibly have the grievance that I have. Some petty breach of etiquette, perhaps, while I"—

Again there was a sound of wheels.

"What do you mean, M. Charlier?" asked M. Rubidoux. "Are these carriages intended for your funeral train?"

"They bear other persons who come here for satisfaction."

Two more carriages stopped, and from each a party alighted, all looking astonished at seeing so many persons present. M. Charlier stepped forward to introduce them.

"M. Rubidoux, M. de Musser, permit me to present M. Tetedoux and M. Cardiac."

All four men bowed very low, taking off their hats and stirring up considerable dust with the wind made by their sweeps. Their attendants stood in groups, looking on, wondering at the strange turn the affair had taken.

"If all those you expect," said M. Rubidoux, "are present I beg to say to them that, as first comer, I shall insist"—

"And I, too, insist," interrupted De Musser.

"Gentlemen!" exclaimed M. Tetedoux in a sonorous bass voice.

'Gentlemen!" cried M. Cardiac in tones of a shrill reed instrument.

Charlier folded his arms and waited.

"This fellow," cried Rubidoux, "has sought to save himself from my just wrath by picking a quarrel with so many that he thinks all not being able to take satisfaction we will let him off. I propose we cast lots for first chance."

"Agreed!" cried all the others at once. Charlier himself wrote their names each on a separate bit of paper, put them in a hat, one of the seconds drew, and the first chance fell to M. Rubidoux. They fought, and M. Rubidoux was so eager to finish the case himself that he fenced hotly and badly. Presently his foil went flying in the air. He was obliged to give way to the next man whose name had been drawn, and M. Cardiac stood up before the victor.

"I'll show you that you cannot insult me by drawing what you conceive to be my character in your miserable novel with impunity."

"What novel?" asked De Musser.

" 'Mol,' " replied Cardiac. "Jules Garnier in that story is a caricature of myself."

"Not at all," put in M. Tetedoux, "Garnier was drawn from me."

"Gentlemen," interrupted M. Rubidoux, "I think I can convince you that the portrait is intended to be mine when I tell you that M. Charlier sent me a copy of the book to read."

"He sent me a copy!" exclaimed M Tetedoux.

"And me! And me!" cried both the others.

Charlier smiled ironically.

"Gentlemen," he said, "the portrait of Jules Garnier was drawn from myself."

It was some time before he could convince each of the men that he was not caricatured, but they all finally gave way, and he invited them to breakfast with him. The next morning an account of the affair appeared in the morning papers, and all Paris rushed to the book stands to buy a copy of "Mol."

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.

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Ready-to-Wear Bargains *for* TRADE WEEK

THERE are only three days remaining in which to take advantage of *TRADE WEEK BARGAINS* and get a fare refund on your purchases.

The values offered this week should be of unusual interest in the face of the ever advancing market.

Special assortments have been arranged in every department. Come and let us start you out right with your Refund Card.

Note these Special Values in Ready-to-Wear Apparel:

Tailored Suits

Our entire line of Wool Tailored Suits, Wooltex included, has been divided into two lots at special prices. These are the Spring's new styles.

Lot One—Special at each.....$14.95
Lot Two—Special at each.....$19.50

A few carried over suits, staple styles, special to close out, each.....$6.95

Our line of Silk Suits are now being offered at special prices. These are the height of fashion, special at.....$25.00, $30.00 and $35.00

Spring Coats

Our stock of Spring Coats has been divided into two special lots for easy selection:

Lot One—Women's Spring Coats in new weaves and colorings, special at each.....$14.95
Lot Two—Assorted new weaves and colors in Spring Models, special at each.....$9.95

Our stock of Children's Coats are assembled into two groups at special prices:

Group One—Special at each.....$3.95
Group Two—Special at each.....$4.95

Millinery

Our entire stock of trimmed hats has been divided into two special lots for quick clean-up.

Lot One—Special at each $2.45
Lot Two—Special at each $3.95

We also have a beautiful assortment of new summer Hats in white Satin and white and colored felt. These are now on display for your inspection.

Corsets

Two special lots of discontinued models in front and back lace corsets has been arranged for quick selling.

Lot One—Special at each.....69c
Lot Two—Special at each....$1.98

Wash Dresses

One special lot of wash dresses for women, carried over styles slightly soiled; special at each...$1.95

Children's wash dresses, large assortment, various colors, sizes 2 to 6 years special at each....48c

Children's wash dresses sizes 6 to 14 years various colors special at each.....98c

Also a very complete line of the new white dresses for summer wear is now on display.

Silk Skirts

One assorted lot of the latest creations in fancy silk skirts ,especially suited for street wear, assorted fancy stripes and plaids, special at each.....$9.50

Silk Dresses

Our stock of Silk Dresses in Chiffon, Taffeta Crepe and Messaline has been assembled into two special lots for quick selling.

Lot One—Special at.....$ 9.50
Lot Two—Special at.....$17.50

White Wash Skirts

We now have on display a superb line of preshrunk skirts, made by The H. Black Company and guaranteed under their Wooltex label. Each skirt combines smartness, good materials, exclusive design, thorough tailoring and are guaranteed not to shrink.

Priced at.....$3.00 to $7.75
Other white dress skirts at.....$1.25 to $2.00
One lot of carried over white skirts, assorted sizes, special at each.....95c and $1.95

Blouses

We have just received a beautiful assortment of new Georgette Crepe Waists in white and assorted new colors, the very newest effects. Be sure to see these.

One lot of white waists in Voile and Organdy, assorted sizes, new styles, special at each....$1.75
One lot of Voile and Organdy Waists white, various sizes, special at each.....$1.15
One special lot of Crepe and Voile Waists, special at each.....69c

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

CHIMNEY SWEEP— Will be in Maryville for next two weeks to clean and repair your chimneys. Call Han. 3531. 21-5

LOST—Kit of automobile tools between Phipps' garage and mile south of town. Reward. Return to Democrat-Forum office. 25-27*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—This week only for cash. Kramer's Kream Flour, per sack, $3.00; ½ sack, $1.55. Maryville Feed and Milling Co., Farmers phone 230; Hanamo 110. 25-27

FOR SALE—At auction July 2, 2 p. m., good, modern residence, corner Market and First streets. 26-30*

FOR SALE—Good work horse, weight about 1,300; also yearling bull. Ora Green, 1113 East First. 25-27*

FOR SALE—Gasoline bailer, 10-horse power engine, new, with a wood saw. Also heifer calf, 6 weeks old. 603 South Main. Han. 6483. 26-28

FOR SALE—About 500 loads of dirt. Martin Borrusch. Han. phone 587. 26-28*

FOR SALE—Overland roadster, 1917 model. This car has been run only 1,700 miles and will be sold at a bargain. Inquire this office. 27-23

FOR SALE—Six-shoel Oliver cultivator, good as new. See J. J. Hall, north of postoffice. 25-27*

FOR SALE—Car of Missouri coal on track. Popular prices. For immediate delivery. Yowell & Sons. 25-27*

FOR SALE—At Wilderman's Garage 30x3 Goodrich tires, $9.90 each; 30x3 U. S. tires, $10.00 each; 30x3 Goodyear tires, $10.00 each; 30x3 Ajax tires, $10.75 each. 27-29

WANTED

WANTED—Farm hand, married or single. A. L. Oakerson, Maryville, route 1, box 28. Phone 11-16 Skidmore. 25-27

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Call Hanamo 412. 25-27

WANTED—White girl for general housework. One who can go home nights preferred. Mrs. Ed Masters, phone 6463. 26-28

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Suite of rooms over Remus' store. Martin Borrusch, Han. phone 587. 26-28*

Dr. W. W. Turner

Osteopathic Physician
Treatment of acute and chronic Diseases.
Office over Alderman-Yehle Store
BOTH PHONES

Glendale Park, purchased by the city of Savannah twenty-five years ago, is now being improved and cleaned up for use again after seven years of rest. It is there that Savannah will celebrate the Fourth says the Reporter.

Mrs. M. Carter of Burlington Junction was in Maryville today.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wells of Hopkins are the guests for a couple of days of their daughter, Mrs. Tim Butts south of Maryville.

Will Build Home Soon

Dr. Will Wallis, Jr., has purchased the Cline and Felix lots at the corner of Third and Dunn streets. He intends to build soon.

Will Administer Estate.

Frances Koppen was appointed administrator of the estate of Matthew Koppen of Conception Junction, who was struck by lightning and killed June 27, 1917, in the Probate Court today.

Big G A remedy for infections of the urinary tract. Painless, non-poisonous and will not stricture. Relieves in 1 to 5 days. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS. Parcel Post if desired—Price $1, or 3 bottles $2.75. Prepared by THE EVANS CHEMICAL CO., CINCINNATI, O.

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left to avail yourself of the Trade Week Bargains we are offering

There is no store giving you the values we are giving or the variety of goods to choose from at special prices. All merchandise in our store, except carpets and rugs selling AT COST.

Now is the time to buy wash goods, muslin underwear, gloves and all summer apparel while prices are low.

CHILDRENS WASH DRESSES ARE GREATLY REDUCED

$ .98 values $ .69 $1.25 values $ .90
1.50 values 1.15 2.00 values 1.39

D. R. Eversole & Son

NOTE—Subscriptions taken here for Red Cross fund

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, June 27.— WHEAT — July, $2.08; Sept., $1.84.

CORN—July, $1.59¾; Sept., $1.44⅝ @ $1.44¼.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, June 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 12,000; steers, $10.13@$10.25; cows, $6.12@$6.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; top, $15.70; bulk, $15.50@$15.60.

SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000; market, weak to 5c lower.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, June 27.—CATTLE— Receipts, 21,000; market, 5c lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 30,000; market, 10c lower; top, $15.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, 16,000; market, strong.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, June 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000; market, weak.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,500; market, 10c lower; top, $15.60.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

Butterfat, per lb	33c
Eggs, per doz	25c
Hens, per lb	16c
Hides, per lb	16c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	8c
Roosters, per lb	10

Always a Fighter.

In "Lloyd George, the Man and His Story," we are told that Lloyd George was a fighter from the beginning and that one of his earliest foes was the Established church. At twenty-five he beat out the clergy in their effort to keep an old Nonconformist father from being buried beside his daughter in the churchyard of a village at the foot of Snowdon. "Take the coffin in by force," said he, "if necessary. If the churchyard gates are locked against you break them down." It was done so, and the chief justice at London upheld the local jury which decided that the action was within rights.

Making a Marine.

It takes longer to make an efficient marine than to make an infantryman. This because the marine is a man of many specialties. He is, of course, in season and out of season, an international policeman. That's his job in time of peace. But when he fares abroad to fight his country's battles he may be called upon to do almost any kind of work. He may be an artilleryman, a signalman, an airman. He may be, and usually is, anything that his country needs at that particular time. And he is trained to meet the emergency.

Lime in the Garden.

Lime will speed up garden crops. It is particularly beneficial on new land. For both flower and vegetable gardens hydrated lime is safest to use. Sprinkle it around the base of the plants and along the rows close to the plants, but not touching them, and work it in the soil.—New York Sun.

Success.

"My first rich patient was the making of me," confessed the doctor.

"Did you make a marvelous cure?"

"Oh, no. But I got enough money to move into a fashionable neighborhood, and then I called myself a specialist."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Harvey L. Haines left today for Kansas City on a business trip.

NEWS FROM ALL NORTHWEST MISSOURI

No longer worrying about the price of sugar a Maitland man is confident that the coming autumn will reveal a hidden treasure on his premises. A large tree, hollow from the ground up, has lately been chosen as a home by a large swarm of bees.

It required twelve automobiles to transport the Maitland Boy Scouts to Campfire Girls to their second annual encampment at the Bilgelow lake last week. In two years, Rev. W. H. Frame has built up a strong troop of scouts and Mrs. Frame has succeeded similarly with the girls' organization, says the Herald.

A dozen years ago a traveling man named Harry Graham went out hunting with a customer at Maitland. He may have had a jolly good time and sold a bill of goods but somewhere on the outing he lost a valuable watch—a treasured gift. Last week the timepiece was plowed up in a field and is virtually uninjured and will be returned to the original owner, says the Herald.

You can believe anything you hear about a tornado. Laws of nature seem to be whacked when a twister comes. If one tells you that straws are driven into a tree like nails, don't sneer; because he can take you to the scene of last Tuesday's storm here in Mercer county and show you. If you are told that hide was peeled from a cat's back, feathers picked from chickens, horses ears taken off, hogs neatly scraped, sod skimmed off the ground as if done with a spade, people's clothes torn from their backs, trees two feet through twisted off and their butts splintered into toothpicks, buildings completely blown away and joists from good, solid houses torn out and left sticking i nthe ground like flag poles, don't question his sanity. He can produce the proof. Much of this the writer saw after the tornado passed, and his ideas about storm stories were materially changed.—W. C. Price, in a special, illustrated edition of the Princeton Post.

An instance of frightfulness similar to that of the kaiser's own is reported from Forest City. A farm wife, resolved to protect her chicks from the rats, provided them with metal coops having a perforated door for ventilation. The other night the rats unable to enter the coop, seized the feet of several chicks that had crowded near the door for fresh air and gnawed their legs off close up to the body.

Almost miraculously, John Smalley of near Ravanna lived through the recent tornado to tell a strange experience. He was in the woods when the storm struck. Dropping flat on the ground he held fast to the small brush while great trees were snapped and twisted all about him. The wind whipped him up and down against the ground, says the Princeton Post, but he kept his hold.

Worth county's record wool check was given E. W. Salmon last week at Grant City. For 2,649 pounds sheared from 318 sheep he received at 63 cents a pound, a total of $1,668.87, says the Times.

Speaking of the recent tornado in DeKalb county a correspondent of the Maysville Herald says: "The usual freaks were present, such as shingles being driven into the bodies of trees, and milk pans and crocks left standing by the side of a strong building torn completely away."

Cars in the center and teams at the rack is the new hitching rule on the streets of Grant City.

Several fawns are in captivity as pets in farm homes near Graham. Some years ago Dick Kyle had a herd of thirty deer and when they became too numerous he turned them loose. They continue to multiply in that locality and it is said the fawns are easily captured and make docile pets.

Thirty-four spring chickens were marketed at Guilford one day last week by J. Z. Pugh. They brought 28 cents a pound and averaged a little less than 62 cents each, or $21 for the lot.

A new terror has been added to moving day for Fred Swafford of Richmond, says the Missourian. Among the household effects to be transported from one house to another was a bottle of carbolic acid. Fearing to pack it promiscuously with other articles he slipped it into his vest pocket for safety. But while he was on his way to the new home the stopper came out of the bottle, saturated his clothing and resulted in a serious burn on his chest.

Yes, thanks, the Missouri sheriff, Joe Ballard, continues to put the bootleggers on the run down in Texas. To date, says the Liberty Tribune, Joe Ballard, sheriff of Waurika has captured 14 automobiles and has dumped upon the ground 1,500 gallons of liquor.

With his foretop burned white and his eyes full of wet lime a Leeton lad was the unwilling example that may save other boys from similar trouble. Ralph Taylor, says the Times, put about a half gallon of unslacked lime in a vessel and covered it with water. Then he went over to watch its bubblings just in time to receive the forcible explosion in his face. Fortunately for his eyesight the shot centered on his forehead and though painfully injured the boy will recover.

Park College at Parkville has established a canning factory which is a model of neatness and efficiency. Under competent instruction the students made their first canning of strawberries and cherries with the new equipment last week.

Twenty barrels of oil a day is expected soon to flow from a new oil well on the McGee Evans farm just north of North Kansas City, says the Liberty Advance. It is the most promising find yet made in that locality.

A new Model 8 linotype machine is on its way to the office of the Plattsburg Leader with the new editor and publisher C. F. Ward, formerly of the Liberty Advance, will make one of the leading newspapers of northwest Missouri.

Having cost originally $11,000 and being insured for but $4,000 the Lathrop House at Lathrop, was destroyed by fire June 16, its loss being a heavy addition to the burden of fireloss recently sustained by Lathrop's business section.

After a taste of 24-hour electric light and power service Rock Port must now content itself with a 10-hour service of only fair efficiency, says the Tarkio Avalanche. Though they agreed to furnish 24-hour service the owners of the plant now declare that a flaw in the franchise endangers their plant and that only part time service will be given until that is cleared up.

Very optimistic predictions on the oats and wheat crop are quoted in the Plattsburg Leader. Ralph Rand, a grain buyer of that vicinity says oats will be a bumper crop there and that wheat is a far better prospect than it was a few weeks ago.

A mystery attends a recent shipment of hogs from Hopkins to St. Joseph, says the Journal. When the car left Hopkins it contained 89 hogs but when opened at its destination it contained only 81. The loss, amounting to $250 still is unexplained.

Farmers have been very busy for the past ten days and crops are looking fine, while the late planting of corn is looking much better than at this time last year. It has been thoroughly cleaned of weeds and the prospects of a bumper crop are good.—Tarkio Avalanche.

It is reported that the wheat is not filling as it should. This cold weather is getting to be a serious proposition with the farmers. Two reports from different localities are that we had a light frost one night last week, but no damage was done.—Bigelow correspondent in Oregon Sentinel.

Every day, the past week, the bottom farmers have been hauling home the seed corn shipped in by the Gallatin Commercial Club, to replant the overflowed lands. A great deal of replanting has been done and with favorable weather it will be practically finished by June 25. The free exchange service supplied by the Daviess County Telephone Co., has rendered a valuable aid and scores of persons have been supplied with plants, implements, exchanged work, etc.—Gallatin North Missourian.

General E. H. Crowder, in charge of America's conscription work, is a north Missouri product, says the Trenton Republican-Tribune. He graduated from Grand River College in Grundy county and was appointed to West Point from this district by Judge K. A. BeBolt of Trenton. After his graduation from West Point, Crowder was given a position as military instructor in the U. of M. at Columbia. He served for some time abroad, during the Boxer rebellion, and gained much distinction as a soldier and strategist.

The grittiest man has been found at Jamesport and this, from the Jamesport Gazette will prove it: George Thompson was returning to Jamesport from Kansas City last week when the flood was at its height. At Gallatin he found the train service annulled but, anxious to get home, he took off his shoes and proceeded to wade across the bottoms on the ties. He waded water waist-deep, feeling his way along with the aid of two poles. Time and again he missed his footing and went down between the ties where the track had been washed off the dump. He broke both his poles and barked both shins and was otherwise bruised. He waded fully a half-mile and was an hour and a half covering that distance. When he reached this side he caught a ride on a work train and reached home without further trouble.

The Mound City News-Jeffersonian tells of a sad accident which befell little Mary Killion, baby daughter of the policeman who lost his life in St. Joseph two weeks ago. While staying at her grandmother's home in Moud City little Mary found a cup of coal oil and drank enough of it to strangle her and seriously injure her throat.

There have been greater difficulties in the newspaper business than paper shortage. From "Sixty Years Ago" in the Savannah Reporter we gather the intricate details explaining just how and why Mr. Gentry, editor of the "Eagle," horsewhipped Mr. Whittaker, who was wrongfully accused of being editor of the "Democrat" and how Whittaker whipped Gentry and bit a chunk out of his leg.

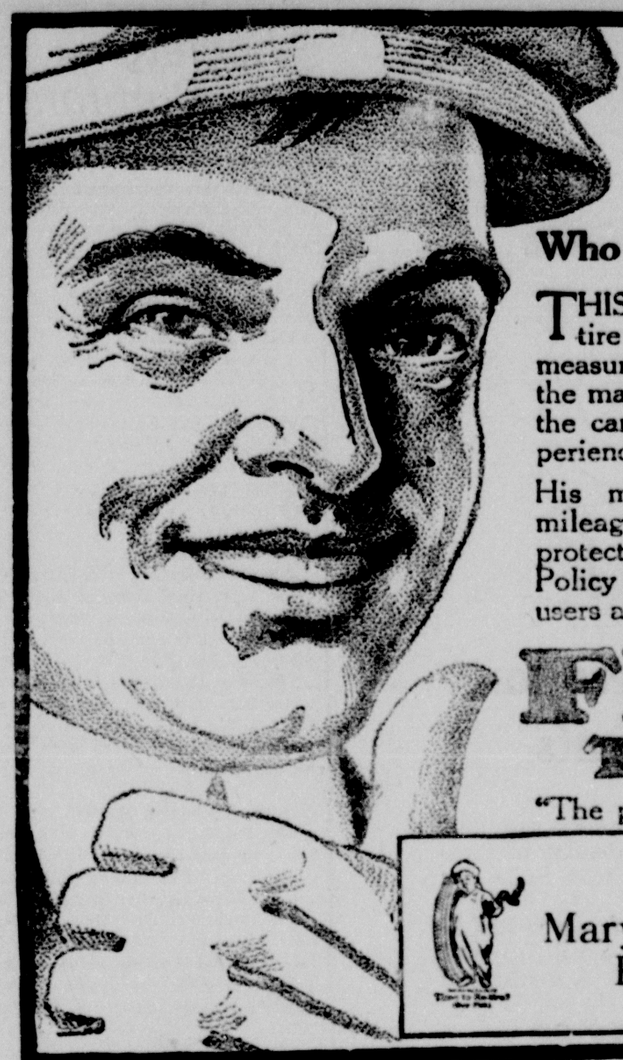
NOW FREE FROM PAIN

Woman Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after Three Years Suffering.

Buffalo, N. Y.—"I am the mother of four children, and for nearly three years I suffered from a female trouble with pains in my back and side and a general weakness. I had professional attendance most of that time but did not seem to get well. As a last resort I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound which I had seen advertised in the newspapers, and in two weeks noticed a marked improvement. I continued its use and am now free from pain and able to do all my housework."—Mrs. B. B. ZIELINSKA, 234 Woltz Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

Women who recover their health, naturally tell others what helped them. Some write and allow their names and photographs to be published with testimonials. Many more tell their friends.

If you need a medicine for women's ailments, try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) for anything you need to know about these troubles.



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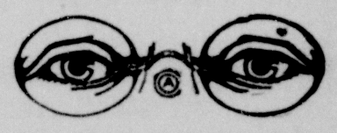

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NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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ARRANGE FOR RED CROSS 'DRIVE'

ALL INTERESTED ATTEND THE MEETING AT 7.30 TONIGHT.

$2,613 HAS ALREADY BEEN SUBSCRIBED

Membership Dues Are Not Obligatory After First Year — All Donations Voluntary.

Previously reported	$2,183
Farmers Trust Company	250
McDonald Employes	32
Dorothy Pierce	25
H. L. Haines	25
Mrs. W. J. Montgomery	25
U. S. Wright	25
J. C. Allender	10
Cash	10
Haines Bunch	10
Prof. Henry A. Foster	5
F. P. Reuillard	5
Mrs. C. W. Thorp	5
Mrs. Dennis Morrisey	2
Maye A. Growney	1
Total	$2,613

Dr. F. R. Anthony and Fred P. Robinson, in charge of the Red Cross organization in Maryville, have called a meeting of those interested in the work to be held in the Commercial Club rooms at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

At this meeting arrangements for the big "drive" in Maryville will be made. Teams will be appointed for each locality and a house-to-house canvass of the whole city will be conducted. In this way it is expected that the Red Cross fund will increase by leaps and bounds.

Plans will also be made for Red Cross Day, on which a special effort will be made to secure funds for the campaign. All those who have paid in to the Red Cross fund are urged to attend and to take active part in the work of making the "drive" in Maryville a success.

A general misunderstanding of the membership in the Red Cross seems to be prevalent. Chairmen over the county say that they have difficulty in getting persons to take out memberships as they are not willing to take the obligation of paying their fee annually. "There is no obligation of this sort," said Doctor Anthony this morning. "Because a person pays a dollar is no sign he has to pay it next year. The donations to any part of the work are entirely voluntary, and no one is obligated to pay a cent that he does not wish to."

A unique method of getting subscriptions for the Red Cross was suggested by one man. He said that $5 should be given for every 160 acres in the county.

Committees and clubs are urged to address Fred P. Robinson, the secretary, for information and to aid in the work. If a branch is not desired a donation will be gratefully accepted by the nearest town branch.

$30 From Alderman-Yehle Clerks.

The Alderman-Yehle clerks made up a purse of $30 for the Red Cross fund at the store this morning. This makes the total from the Alderman-Yehle store $80, Merrill Alderman and Conrad Yehle having each subscribed $25.

She Gave "Until It Hurt."

Mrs. Dennis Morrissey, who is on the list today for a $2 donation is one who may say that she gave "until it hurt." Mrs. Morrissey, who is a hard working woman, has had bad luck this year. The rats made away with 250 of her chickens and the rain washed out the garden at her little home north of Maryville. And yet, she had $2 from her meagre earnings to give to the soldier boys and would not be satisfied with giving less.

To Visit North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Bellows and children, Donald and Mary Jane, left this morning for Bottineau, N. D., to visit Mrs. Bellows' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McMillen.

Ladies' Aid Society of Baptist Church will give an

Ice Cream Social

on church lawn Friday evening June 29, for benefit of Red Cross Society. Ice Cream and cake 15c.

NO DETAILS OF ACCIDENT

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Costello Return to Maryville Tonight—Miss Mullin's Body Shipped Home.

Ed Costello, who was in the automobile accident at Lentner, Mo., yesterday in which his cousin, Miss Mary Mullin, was killed, will return to Maryville tonight. He will be accompanied home by Mrs. Costello and Dr. F. M. Ryan, who went to Lentner, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sanders of Maryville, cousins of Miss Mullin, who was about 50 years old, will take the body to Middletown, O., and will attend the funeral.

Details of the accident have not yet been learned. The Cameron Daily News has a short account of the accident. The car, according to the News, was struck by a Burlington train about 9:35 o'clock yesterday morning on a crossing just west of Lentner. According to the account Mr. Costello was trying to beat the train across the track and killed his engine on the crossing.

Mr. Costello is uninjured, but is not feeling very well, his relatives say.

COBURNS WILL COME BACK

Popularity of Players Fully Attested by Overflow Crowd at "Julius Caesar" Last Night.

The Coburn players will have a return engagement to Maryville, according to President Richardson. The arrangements for their coming and the plays that will be given will be announced later.

An enormous crowd witnessed the rendition of "Julius Caesar," which was given in the Normal auditorium last night. In fact, everybody said that this was the best play of all. The characters were splendid in their parts and showed the highest art in giving the Shakespeare tragedy.

The afternoon play, "Much Ado About Nothing," which is one of Shakespeare's lighter plays, was greatly enjoyed by the afternoon crowd.

The series of plays on the whole was the best attended of any since the Coburns have been coming. Their popularity grows each year among those who love the better things in dramatic art.

DOLLAR DAY, SATURDAY

Merchants Preparing to Offer Splendid Bargains in Addition to Rebate Feature.

Dollar Day, one of the greatly anticipated days of Trade Week, will be held on Saturday this time. In addition to the rebates which are offered to all who come from a distance, the Maryville people will have a chance to "get in on" the bargains of Dollar Day.

The plan of Dollar Day is this: Each merchant offers scores of things that may be had for a dollar. Many of these things are real values both in merchandise and groceries. All of the city merchants are now behind the movement and are anxious to show you their dollar offerings for Trade Week. They invite every person in the county to come for this last day and to visit their stores.

WILL USE HANDS, TOO

Burlington Junction Women Form Red Cross Society for Home Aid.

The women of Burlington Junction are not only interested in giving to the Red Cross fund, but they are also very anxious to take part in the work that is done by that and similar organizations.

Forty women who are anxious to do their part met last week and organized a Red Cross association, electing the following officers: President, Mrs. E. S. Cossins; vice-president, Mrs. C. B. Zarn; secretary, Miss Elizabeth Ordning, and treasurer, Mrs. Charles Williams.

The line of work has not been decided upon yet, but it is thought that the Surgical dressings work will be taken up.

Has New Delivery Wagon.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods store has a brand new Ford delivery wagon which R. G. Allan is learning to drive today.

SPY LEADER ARRESTED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, June 27.—Albert Webber, an officer of the German army, and declared by the police to be director of the spy system in the United States, was arrested today.

THE COUNTY WORK

BURLINGTON JUNCTION LEADS WITH $907 FOR RED CROSS.

OTHER TOWNS AT WORK

Organization in Most Places Just About Completed — Clearmont and Elmo Report.

Reports on the Red Cross work in the county indicate that the campaign for funds is going forward with a rush.

Burlington Junction now heads the list with $970 to its credit. Miss Lucile Mae Carter, at the head of the work in the town, and several of her helpers decided that the $1,000 goal was too easy and made further plans. They have set the date for the completion of the work for July 7, and they will make it a township enterprise. They will co-operate with the Commercial club and a canvass of all outlying districts in the vicinity of Burlington Junction will be made.

The work at Graham will take on an added impetus as soon as a few meetings are held and a canvass is commenced. Besides the $150 reported from the town yesterday, S. A. Jones in charge of the campaign there, reports $55 more as follows: M. M. Rhoades, $25; P. L. Trapp, $25; and Dan McGrew, $5.

More Than $200 at Clearmont.

The Clearmont branch of the Red Cross under the temporary management of Roy Hanna reports a collection of more than $200 for its first "drive." The work will be continued indefinitely and an effort will be made to canvass the entire county. The donors reported today by Mr. Hanna are:

$25—John A. Burch, A. H. Garrett.

$12.50—L. M. Cummins, Roy F. Hanna.

$10—Mrs. Agnes Garrett Forcade.

$5—Ladies' Aid of Christian church, Ned T. Garrett, J. C. Robison, W. W. Linebaugh, Pence & Hornbuckle, James Milbank, Howard Garrett.

$4—Christian Sunday school.

$2.50—B. C. Sowers, J. G. Baker, J. T. Smith, A. H. Kelley.

$2—W. R. Rogers, W. P. Davis, P. H. Walker.

$1—W. L. Peery, Kenneth Rogers, Mrs. William Pence, Robert Pence, Walter Davis, Mrs. Flora Newlon, Estella Green, J. H. Bailey, John W. Gohn, W. A. Griffey, A. P. Skeed, R. Lebonia, W. T. Humphrey, Edgar Pence, Elbert Pence, Mrs. Dowell, Mrs. Edgar Pence, Mr. Folk, Mrs. Holland, Ray Hopple, J. E. Hornbuckle, S. T. Davison, G. E. Matlock, Mrs. Charles McDermott, Neva McDermott, Mrs. Eva Davis, Cleo Lane, J. W. Smith, Charles Bears, Addie Carpenter, Ollie Carpenter, L. C. Livengood, J. E. Dew, J. W. Biggs, J. N. Billingsley, J. T. Blackford, Guy C. Clary, W. J. Linebaugh, C. A. Skeed, William Pence, D. E. Pence, C. H. Bancroft, W. L. Simpson, J. L. Curry, John McDermott, D. A. Wallace, J. H. Clary, Ira Newlon, O. O. Gregory, R. C. Stewart, W. P. Moore, R. N. Noblett, Schuyler Donnel, Jack Glenn, James D. Newlon, Dr. Wiley, Ned Smith, O. D. Kent, John Maddox.

50 cents—W. W. Criger, F. C. Combs.

On the Boom at Elmo.

Elmo's "bit" is going to be a big one, if the committee working on subscriptions in that vicinity keeps up its good work. A report to Fred P. Robinson from Z. R. Alexander gives a total of $249.75, and not half of the people in the district have been approached for donations.

$100—George P. Shoptaugh.

$25—C. E. Graham.

$10—Robert Campbell, Citizens' State Bank, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lamar, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lamar.

$5—J. S. Wood, R. R. Joy, Letta Grove, J. D. Tudder, E. C. James, Platt Colvin, Dr. R. E. Ferguson, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Neely.

$3—Z. R. Alexander, W. C. James.

$2.50—Mr. and Mrs. William Bucker.

$2—Clark D. Horn, H. R. Peery, E. A. Walton, M. N. Yetter, T. A. King, Grant Elrod, W. D. Reece, Mrs. Mary L. Clardy.

$1—S. T. Gates, S. M. DeVault, B. L. Moore, Gates Bros., Stephen Lamar, M. E. Church, A. J. McIntosh, Donna Lamar's Sunday School Class, Guy Johnston, William Price, Orr Kinman.

25 cents—B. H. Livengood.

H. E. Hiles of Burlington Junction gave $10 to the Red Cross fund.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

DRESSINGS ARRIVE

OFFERINGS OF SURGICAL UNITS ARE NOW ON WAY TO FRANCE.

ALL MATERIAL IS USED

Headquarters Assures Women That Work is Appreciated and Urges Increased Out-Put.

The 470 surgical dressings that were recently sent to the headquarters of the National Surgical Dressings association in New York by the local surgical dressings units of Maryville have been received and sent to the Foreign Distributing Bureau.

This word was received yesterday by the women in charge of the work. An urgent appeal to increase the output of the organization in Maryville was made by those working at headquarters.

The erroneous opinion that the dressings sent by the organizations are not used was contradicted in the letter which acknowledged the receipt of the Maryville donation. It said:

"We assure you that no dressing, no tiniest piece of material is ever thrown away. We don't get anything like enough bandages for the work."

In response to the need felt in European hospitals for the rolled bandages, the hospital unit is working on this kind of surgical dressing exclusively. They will send between 400 and 500 of those dressings to headquarters next week.

The New York Times has an article this week regarding the recognition paid to the National Surgical Dressings association and its co-operation with the Red Cross.

"The National Surgical Dressings association is recognized in all of the countries covered by its bureaus," the article says, "and the surgeons of all countries have expressed approval of the types of dressings. About 1,500 hospitals in Europe are supplied by the association, and each hospital is given just the type of dressing for which it asks. In this way, no material is wasted. The surgeons from each country order from the foreign bureaus just the kind of supplies he needs and they are sent.

"The association co-operates with the Red Cross, because as a committee which has specialized in one line of work, the workers have become experts, and are able to assist the Red Cross very materially in its needs. Thousands of hospitals are supplied through the association."

Mrs. B. E. Blackney in behalf of the Intellectual Club at Hopkins sent word to Mrs. E. G. Orear, chairman of the association that five members had pledged $2.50 a month to be sent to the Surgical units of Maryville to purchase supplies.

Nearly all of the surgical dressing work is done at the Carnegie Library and the shipping is done from there. All of the work is inspected by Mrs. W. J. Osburn.

SEVEN RECRUITS TODAY

Charles Middleton of Maryville and Seven Burlington Men Join the U. S. Army.

Seven recruits, one from Maryville and six from Burlington Junction enlisted in the United States Army from the local recruiting station yesterday. They left this morning for Kansas City where they will remain a few days before being sent to their various camps.

Charles Middleton, 19 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton of Maryville, enlisted in the infantry. He will go from Kansas City to Jefferson Barracks, near St. Louis.

Those from Burlington Junction were: Roy A. Dolph and Orville Ellsworth, who enlisted in the medical corps and Raymond Hornburg, Harry Piveral, William Puett, Arthur Nelson, who enlisted in the signal corps.

Ravenwood Campaign Organized.

The Ravenwood campaign will be organized under the direction of the G. A. R. Circle. Committees will be appointed and a house-to-house canvass will be made. The Farmers' club which meets Friday evening will also assist in the work of collecting the funds.

ORCHESTRA DANCE

Thursday Night, June 28

Admission 50 cents

W. O. W. HALL

Mr. and Mrs. Will Foster and Maulding's Orchestra

"MONARCH OF ALL HE SURVEYS."

—Rehse in New York World.

MEN TO DECIDE ON DRAFT

Nodaway County Exemption Board, Composed of Sheriff, Clerk and Physician.

Sheriff John Dowden, County Clerk Fred Yeomans and Dr. Frank C. Wallis will compose the exemption board for Nodaway county. This board will handle the selection of the men from Nodaway county who may be chosen for military service under the selective draft.

BOARD OF REGENTS SESSION

Will Officially Award Commencement Diplomas — Five Members Are Present.

The annual business meeting of the board of regents of the State Normal school is being held this afternoon. The members of the board in attendance are W. A. Blagg of this city, W. H. Weightman of Mound City, Charles L. Mosley of Stanberry, George N. Gromer, of Pattonsburg, and State Superintendent of Schools Uel Lamkin of Jefferson City.

In addition to taking up business matters, the board will make the official award of diplomas for the commencement the forepart of June.

INVESTIGATE ACCIDENT

O. W. Withan, Greenfield, Ia., Attorney, Here Investigating Accident in While John Goss Was Killed

O. W. Withan, an attorney of Greenfield, Ia., and Bert Griffey of Orient, Ia., arrived in Maryville today making an investigation of the automobile accident which took place last Thursday morning in which John Goss of Orient, Ia., lost his life and Bert Cozad was injured. They were in conference with Judge W. M. Blackford of the county court this afternoon. They are here to see if some action can be brought against the county as it is claimed there was no mark or board against the west end of the bridge to show that the bridge was not passable.

READY FOR WAR WORK

Misses Lucile Mae and Marie Carter of Burlington Junction Are Prepared to Be Nurses' Aids.

Miss Lucile Mae Carter, head of the Red Cross campaign in Burlington Junction, and her sister, Miss Marie Carter, are qualified to go to the front as assistants to Red Cross nurses.

The two girls, who received their A. B. degrees at Simpson College, Indianola, Ia., last year, took a "Red Cross course in Elementary Hygiene and Home Care of the Sick," while in school. They passed the examinations which were held at the conclusion of the course and were given certificates, which entitle them to serve as nurses' aids. Consequently, they are well prepared to take up active work if necessary.

RAINFALL IS 2 INCHES

Total Precipitation for Two Days Was 3.56 — Two Bridges Are Washed Out.

The total rainfall for the last two days was 3.56 inches, according to J. R. Brink, official weather observer. The rain which began last night and which fell at intervals until early this morning, amounted to 2 inches.

The County Court received word that two bridges had been washed out in the county as a result of the 2-day showers. One of these was on the Quitman road, west of Maryville and the other was east of Bedison. The judges say that three crews are working every minute to repair the damage done by the summer rains and that they will work as long as the money lasts.

TICKET SALE IS SLOW

Committee Asks Guarantors and Others to Buy Chautauqua Tickets Before July 10.

The Chautauqua ticket sale is slow — slower than it should be say the members of the committee in charge of the arrangements.

"We urge all who intend to buy tickets for the Chautauqua to do so at once," said one of the committee today. "The tickets will positively rise in price after July 10, and it will pay all who want tickets to take advantage of the first price for which they are offered."

Many persons throughout the county are delighted that the Chautauqua grounds will be in Normal Park. This will undoubtedly increase the attendance of out-of-town visitors to the Chautauqua. The tents have been ordered and will be on the ground as soon as needed.

ALLEGES INDIGNITIES AND DRINK

Martha Grace Jordan Wants Divorce and the Custody of Children.

A suit for a divorce was filed today by Martha Grace Jordan against Arthur G. Jordan on the ground of indignities. She alleges that the defendant was addicted to the use of liquor. The petition claims the defendant was finally run out of Clarinda on account of "bootlegging." The plaintiff asks for the custody of four minor children and that her maiden name as Martha Grace Porter be restored to her. Cook & Cummins are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Lloyd Sidney of Grant City is in Maryville on business today.

"DRYS" WINNING

SENATE AGRICULTURAL COMMITTEE ADOPTS PROVISION.

BAR WHISKEY AND BEER

President Will Have Authority to Permit or Forbid the Making of Wine.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, June 27.—The Senate agriculture committee this afternoon rejected the sub-committee prohibition amendment to the food control bill and adopted in its stead a provision under which beer and whiskey will be prohibited and authority will be given President Wilson to permit the manufacture of wines only. This is more drastic than the sub-committee plan.

As it now stands the use of foodstuffs in the manufacture of beer and distilled liquors will be flatly prohibited, while the President will exercise his discretion permitting or forbidding the making of wine.

Washington, June 27.—"Bone dry" prohibition for the United States rests with President Wilson today. Should he indicate willingness to accept the responsibility, it is admitted that the senate will jam through an amended food control bill which will prohibit the further manufacture of distilled spirits and delegate to the President the responsibility for deciding whether vinous and malt liquors are to be manufactured and sold during the remainder of the war period. The senate plainly desires to "pass the buck."

The amendment would permit the President by proclamation to permit only the brewing of beer and light wines.

A poll taken of the Senate today, by members of that body, between a compromise and a straight "bone dry" proposition, disclosed that the Senate is so unevenly divided that one vote may make the Nation absolutely "dry" or just "near dry" during the war.

Raps Federal Trade Commission.

Washington, June 27.—The federal trade commission was called on to explain why it did not force the alleged print paper combination to desist its illegal and unfair practices in a resolution introduced in the senate by Senator Reed of Missouri. In a statement Reed charges that the commission has the power under the existing law to summarily compel the paper manufacturers forthwith to stop their unfair practice but that it has taken no step to do so although conclusive proof of the violation of the laws has been in its possession for more than a year.

HARBOR BILL PASSES.

Washington, June 27.—The house today passed the harbor bill appropriating $27,000,000. It will be expended for waterway improvements in all parts of the country.

TRY RETAKING GROUND

British Raid German Trenches Inflicting Casualties and Damaging Works.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, June 27.—An attempt by the Germans to re-capture the ground lost in the sector of Fontainelles and Croiselles on the Arras front was repulsed, the British war office announced today. In Oppy sector also on the Arras front, the British raided the German trenches in flicting casualties to the garrison and damages to the works.

GUN DUELLING SEVERE.

Paris, June 27.—A violent artillery battle raged throughout the night, north of Aisne river. Big gun duelling was especially severe, the war office announced.

THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; warmer tonight north portion.

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THE YOUNGEST MOVIE STAR

Viola Dana Will Be Seen at Empire Tonight in "The Light of Happiness."

Viola Dana, the youngest legitimate star in motion pictures, and one of the most capable artists now appearing on the screen, will be seen here at the Empire Theatre tonight in "The Light of Happiness," a five-part Metro wonderplay, produced by the Columbia Pictures corporation. This delightful comedy-drama was written especially for Miss Dana by John H. Collins, who also directed the screen production. In the cast with Miss Dana are Edward Earle, Lorraine Frost, Harry Linson, Jack Busby, Mona Kingsley and Robert Walker. Miss Dana was last seen on the Metro program in "The Flower of No Man's Land." Miss Dana has a large following among theatregoers who remember her finished work as the star in "The Poor Little Rich Girl," which enjoyed a long run when Miss Dana was but twelve years old.

Visits Maryville Friends.

Mrs. Grace Sims of Ft. Smith, Ark., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Maulding and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Godsey. Mrs. Sims was formerly Mrs. Grace Rickard of Maryville.

George Robert Palfreyman Arrives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Palfreyman announce the birth of a son, George Robert, born this morning.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

When the Skin Seems Ablaze With Itching and Burning

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If your skin seems ablaze with the fiery burning and itching of Eczema, real and lasting relief can only come from treatment that goes below the surface—that reaches down to the very source of the trouble. So-called skin-diseases come from a disordered condition of the blood, and the proper treatment is through the blood.

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Rebate Week

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June 25 - 30

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THURSDAY BAND PROGRAM

March—"The Guiding Star," (Laurendeau).

Grand Selection—"Maritana" (Wallace).

Fox Trot—"Love Me At Twilight," (Schultz).

"Turkish Patrol" (Laurendeau).

Fantasia—Clarinet Solo—"How Can I Leave Thee" (Ritter).

Two-Step—"Jane" (Mohr).

Descriptive Piece — "A Hunting Scene, (Meyrelles).

"Barcarole" (From Tales of Hoffman), (Offenbach).

March—"Gate City" (Weldon).

DAVE FERRIS ARRESTED.

Receives $20 Fine for Drunkenness in Police Court.

Dave Ferris was fined $20 by Mayor Robey today for being drunk. The fine and the costs amounted to $25 which was paid by Mr. Ferris. Ferris said he is having the liquor sent to him from St. Joseph. Mayor Robey told Ferris he would fine him the limit every time he was picked up for being drunk. Ferris was arrested a short time ago on the same charge.

MEXICAN SHIPS DESTROYED.

12,000 Gallons of Gasoline Explode in Vessel—British Consul Recalled.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Mexico City, June 27.—The Mexican ship Soberano was destroyed in the Frontera harbor today when twelve thousand gallons of gasoline aboard exploded.

The British consul, Richards, left for London today, having received an urgent recall from his government. High importance is attached to the action and it probably deals with negotiations which England, France and the United States are carrying on to secure the reduction of taxes and assessments on Mexican oil.

DOMESTIC TROUBLES IN SPAIN.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, June 27.—Domestic troubles of the gravest sort again loomed up in Spain today frontier dispatches said. The unrest has increased in some quarters with the declaration of martial law. The agitators are urging the people to strike at once for a republic.

U. S. SAILING SHIP LOST.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, June 27.—The United States sailing ship, Galena, from New York to France has been submarined. No casualties have been reported.

WILL LOSE CRUISER, OLYMPIA.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Block Island, R. I., June 27.—The United States cruiser, Olympia, which ran aground in the fog yesterday, will be lost. It is feared her bulkhead and her magazine were smashed.

Washout Delays Wabash.

The Wabash morning passenger train due here at 6 o'clock was six hours late arriving a tnoon, on account of a washout between Chillicothe and Gallatin.

Visiting Nusbaums.

Roy Pepperberg, who is on his way from Atlanta, Ga., to his home in Lincoln, Neb., arrived in Maryville last night for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. Nusbaum. Mrs. Pepperberg and son, Louis, who are also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nusbaum will accompany Mr. Pepperberg to their home in Lincoln.

HOUSEWIVES' HELP

ALL SHOULD PRESERVE SURPLUS FOODSTUFFS THIS YEAR.

SKILL NOT ESSENTIAL

Fresh Products, Cleanliness and Heat the Chief Requirements for Successful Work.

Washington, D. C., June 26.—"Every housewife this year should restore to her home the often overlooked home industries of canning, preserving, pickling and drying of perishable fruits or vegetables," said David F. Houston, Secretary of Agriculture, today. "The large number of new backyard gardens which has been planted this year shortly will begin to yield their extra harvest of beans, peas, carrots, beets, sweet corn, and tomatoes. The regular supplies also will reach the markets and, as happens each summer, the local supply at times will exceed immediate consumptive capacity. Not to conserve much of this surplusage of valuable food would be sinful waste.

Much Individual Responsibility.

"The present food and labor situations are such that no household is justified in looking to others to release it wholly from individual responsibility and constructive action in saving and conserving food. All any home should expect of others is to supply those foods which can not be produced effectively by its own members. The railroads will be burdened with the transportation of staple foods and civil and military necessaries from localities of production and manufacture to districts incapable of supplying their own needs. It follows that all locally produced foods, conserved by home methods, lessen the winter pressure on transportation agencies and also release similar products of factories for other purposes.

"I urge every household, therefore, to can all surplus perishable products for which they have containers and to dry and keep in paper any additional surplus suitable for such preservation.

No Special Skill Needed.

"Canning calls for no special skill and for little equipment beyond a wash boiler and jars. Fresh products, cleanliness and heat are the chief requirements, as even sugar is not essential for canning fruits under modern procedure. Fruits and vegetables, moreover, can be dried efficiently in the sun, over a range or gas stove, or before an electric fan. Homemade shallow trays of wood or heavy wire screen are the chief equipment required. Drying is a time-tried home industry; conservation of food by drying is largely a matter of restoring to the home great-grandmother's method of seeing that her family had good food in winter as a relief from a monotonous diet of root vegetables. Canning and drying can be practiced as effectively in a city house or apartment as on a farm or in a suburban dwelling.

Canning, Profitable Industry.

"Canning, of course, already is a profitable industry for women and children in thousands of homes and I trust will become almost universal this season. To aid the home conservation movement, the Department of Agriculture has issued a new Farmers' Bulletin on home canning, and another on home drying of fruits and vegetables. These free pamphlets should be read and followed in every household which wishes to translate patriotic impulse into concrete service."

CLARA M'CRARY SCALDED

9-Year-Old Child Seriously Injured When Pail of Boiling Water Spills on Her.

Clara McClary, the 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCrary, tenants on the Hal Hooker farm, five miles southwest of Maryville, was seriously scalded at 6:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

The child was lying down in front of the kitchen stove. Her mother was lifting a pail of boiling water from the stove when the bail broke spilling the contents over the little girl.

Dr. Will Wallis Jr., was called to dress the burns which are most severe on one whole side. The child's life was despaired of yesterday, but she is a little better today.

Will Return Tonight.

Mrs. P. O. Landon, who has been visiting her parents, at Carlinville, Ill., and Mr. Landon's mother, Mrs. Mary Landon, of Jerseyville, Ill., will return with her two sons, Truman and Kurt Landon, to their home in Maryville tonight. Mrs. Landon stopped in Mexico, Mo., for a short visit with Mr. Landon's sister.

Wes Miller of Burlington Junction is in Maryville on business today.

MARK THESE RED CROSS APPEALS.

President Woodrow Wilson—I hope that the response will be a demonstration of the generosity of America and the power of genuine practical sympathy among our people that will command the admiration of the whole world.

Ex-President William Howard Taft — The one thing, for which we ought to be grateful is that, in this great war, in which we will have to make secrifices — Oh such sacrifices —that we have a cause worthy of all the sacrifices that we can make.

Ex-President Theodore Roosevelt—I appeal to those not fortunate enough to have brothers or other dear ones going into the fighting line. Remember that, a year or so from now, when our boys are being wounded and need your aid, it will be too late. Do it now.

PLATTE VALLEY ITEMS

This very fine weather the farmers are busy in the fields, corn to plow, alfalfa and clover hay to harvest, and oats and wheat and rye will soon be ripe to harvest. So these are busy days for the plowman.

Mrs. W. E. Haden and daughters, Juanita and Geneva and son, William, of Independence, Mo., are visiting friends in the vicinity of Guilford this week.

M. V. Baker and wife and P. M. Jorgensen and wife of Barnard were visiting at S. E. Jobe's Sunday.

Pat Nelson and wife of Barnard attended the childrens exercises at the M. E. church Sunday in Guilford and were guests of their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

Andrew Nelson and family were Sunday guests of Martin Peterson and wife.

Paul Schmidt and family, Alvin Nelson and family and James Hansen and wife visited with Grandpa Jacobson Sunday, and celebrated his eighty-second birthday with a splendid chicken dinner.

Clarence and Frank Nelson and Ferman Kent spent Sunday with Waldon Winters.

O. K. Wales and family, Paul Winters and family, Leslie Winters and wife, Sam Aldridge and wife, John Aldridge and wife, Wray Kelley and wife of Rea, Mo., were guests Sunday afternoon of John Winters and family.

Elder B. J. Scott of St. Joseph, Bishop of the Far West Stake, has been spending the past two weeks visiting his brethren of the L. D. Saints' church in Guilford, Bedison and Sweet Home branches.

John Rowlett and family of Mound City, Mo., were guests at the home of R. P. Anderson and family Sunday. Mrs. Rowlett was formerly Miss Florence Anderson.

Mrs. Bedwell and Fay Harman and wife of Bolckow were guests Sunday of John McKee and family.

Miss Salena Torrance is working for Mrs. Joseph Oliver at present. She spent Sunday at home.

William Nelson and family of Guilford and Mrs. W. E. Haden and daughters, Juanita and Geneva, and son William, of Independence, Mo., spent Monday at the home of W. B. Torrance and family.

Next Wednesday—

JULY FOURTH

being a

Legal Holiday

This Store Will Be

Closed All Day

Haines

Has It Cheaper

A very fine and refreshing shower of rain fell Tuesday which will cause the corn to grow very fast, as well as all other vegetation.

Rosewood Reserve is Shipped.

Fred Bellows leaves today for Bickett, Mont. On his way he will have charge of Rosewood Reserve, the Shorthorn bull, which brought $8,100 at the Bellows Brothers sale, having been sold to Mrs. J. A. McCauley of Bickett. The animal will be sent to Montana in a Wells-Fargo express car and the charges for shipment will be $666. Another Shorthorn cow was also taken in this shipment to Mrs. McCauley.

Mr. Bellows will visit in California before returning to Maryville.

Mrs. Spoonemore Returns.

Mrs. Will Spoonemore of Ravenwood, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Christena Combs, returned to her home today. She was accompanied by her nephew, Teddy Lee Norris, who will visit her several weeks.

Arranges For Maryville Day.

W. C. Pearson, chairman of the Entertainment committee of the Maryville Commercial Club, went to St. Joseph today to complete arrangements for Maryville day, which will be held at St. Joseph soon.

GUILFORD ITEMS

Uncle Jim LaMasters, 74 years old, a farmer living near Guilford, was in town Saturday and says he has about eight acres of alfalfa which looks unusually fine. His corn is looking well also. Uncle Jim also raises a great many turkeys, but says they are not doing well this year and Thanksgiving turkeys will be high this year.

Rev. O. E. Lockart, pastor of the Methodist church of Guilford, is attending the Epworth League Conference which is being held at Sparta.

Tom Farnan has established a distributing agency for the F. L. Collins Oil company at Guilford.

F. L. McClintock, assistant treasurer of the Bank of Guilford, who has been visiting relatives in Iowa, returned yesterday to his home.

Paul Sisson and Fred P. Robinson, of Maryville, were in Guilford Saturday in connection with the Red Cross society.

A meeting for the organization of the Red Cross society at Guilford will be held Thursday evening. Everyone is invited to come and help to make this a permanent organization.

Miss Elizabeth Saunders returned last night from a business trip to St. Joseph.

Patriotism and Business

Every good citizen at this time should do his share toward strengthening the Federal Reserve Banking System which our Government has created with its billion dollars of resources to stand back of its member banks and all their depositors.

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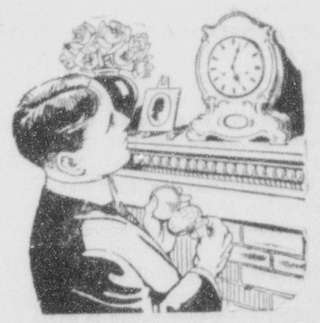

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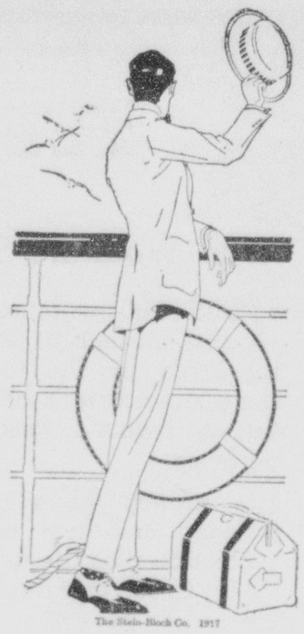

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Mrs. C. H. Cambron of Pueblo, Colo., returned home yesterday morning after a six weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. William Doran and with her two brothers, John and Ed Allen.

Here From Kentucky.

Mrs. A. C. Debow of Princeton, Ky., arrived in Maryville Sunday night and is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur M. Crooke.

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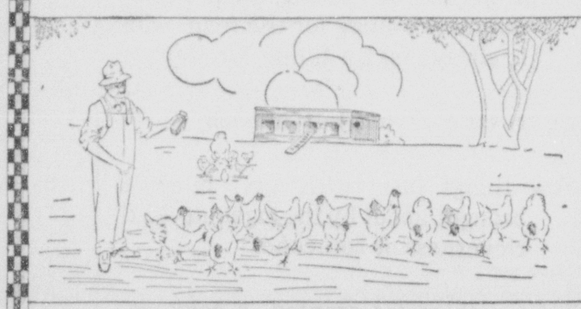

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Hager's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hager entertained Mr. and Mrs. Will Montgomery at a four-course 6 o'clock dinner Monday evening at the Linville hotel.

Burch's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burch of Bedison, entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carmichael and son Donald, of near Pickering, Esther, Mabel, Ethel, Mary and Martha Burch, Frank, Forrest, George Harold Jr. Burch and the host and hostess.

For Mrs. Alkire.

Mrs. Ed Godsey and daughter, Olivette, entertained a few of their close friends at a Kensington yesterday afternoon at their home on West Fourth street, in honor of Mrs. Will Alkire of Pomona, Calif., who is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Ray. The house was prettily decorated with garden flowers. Light refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Hostess.

The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. D. J. Thomas. Mrs. Frank Shoemaker Jr., of Oklahoma City, Okla., Mrs. Edgar Schilder of New Orleans, Miss Carrie Margaret Baker and Mrs. Oliver K. Bovard were guests. Mrs. Schilder won the guest prize and Miss Carrie Margaret Baker won the game prize.

Hackett's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hackett entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Erma Hackett, who were recently married. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burks, the Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Dayhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Null, and Mr. and Mrs. Erma Hackett; Misses Mafie and Mildred Burks, Katherine, Lois, Ruth Lee and Mary Eunice Dayhoff, Airs and Marjorie Hackett; Harry Dayhoff, Paul Russell, and Allen Burks, Soren Hackett and Ray Hackett of Burlington Junction.

No Name Club Has Picnic.

The Parnell No Name Club met Sunday afternoon in the woods, southeast of Parnell. A picnic supper was served and games were played. The members present were. Misses Matie Evans, Blanche Bloomfield, Rosetta Klaas, Marie Berg, Agnes Klaas, Ella Farrell, Lottie Bird, Lula and Myrtle Hutchison, Hazel Miller, Dora Miller, Gertrude Spire; Port Evans, Leo Berg, Henry Klaas, Noble Klaas, Martin Farrell, Tom Farrell, Byron Bird, Virgil Spoonemore, Ernest Sherlock, Forbe Starr, Fred Messbargar, Ed Hart, John Winslow and Will Boedecker.

Sunday Guests at Linville.

Clyde Kenkoda, Hugh Cowin, and G. C. Logsdon of Bethany formed a dinner party to th eLinville hotel Sunday.

Gail Bertram, Mae Anderson, Heibe Walker and Lula I. Bertram of Rockport were among those who registered at the Linville Hotel for dinner Sunday.

J. L. Brownlee, H. B. Stevenson and Mrs. H. B. Stevenson of Tarkio and Miss Ruth Tucker of Maryville were dinner guests at the Linville Hotel Sunday.

Ruth Parker, Maribel Harrison, Faye Phillips, Edith Phillips, Neil Morris and P. A. Morris of Clarinda, Ia., took dinner at the Linville Hotel Sunday.

Union Prayer Circle Meets.

The Union Prayer Circle met this morning at the home of Mrs. R. S. Braniger. The lesson this morning was the Ninth Psalm. About seven members were present. Next Wednesday the meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Smith and the lesson will be the Tenth Psalm.

Entertains at Bridge.

Mrs. Will Montgomery entertained a number of her friends at bridge this morning in honor of Mrs. Edgar Schilder of New Orleans, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barmann, and Mrs. Frank Shoemaker, Jr., of Oklahoma City, who is also visiting relatives in Maryville.

The Red Cross idea was carried out in the tally cards and also in the ices. Mrs. Ben Chandler won high score and the guest prize went to Mrs. Schilder. Mrs. Montgomery was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Harold Bellows. Those invited were: Miss Elise Jackson, Mrs. Edgar Schilder, Miss Ora Barmann, Mrs. Cleav Funk, Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend ,Mrs. Frank Shoemaker, Jr., Mrs. Ralph Eversole, Mrs. Luther Forsyth, Mrs. Fred Wolfers, Misses Della and Kitty Grems, Miss Clara Sturm, Mrs. Fay Bellows, Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. M. L. Beattie, Mrs. Harold Bellows, Miss Dorothy Pierce, Misses Julia and Jeanette Tate, Mrs. George Baker, Miss Carrie Margaret Baker, Mrs. Ed Wolfert Mrs. Tom Wadley, Miss Ruth Montgomery and her guest, Miss Grace McAnulty of St. Joseph, Mrs. Ed Gray, Mrs. Lieber Holmes, Mrs. Arthur Hagar and Mrs. B. M. Chandler and Mrs. Oliver Bovard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Brady of Conception announce the birth of a son, born yesterday morning at St. Francis hospital.

The Quintessence of Egotism

By ESTHER VANDEVEER.

One morning a carriage stopped in the Boulogne wood in Paris.

"This is the place," said the occupant.

Alighting, he directed the coachman to drive on over a crest and wait. Then he began to pace idly back and forth, now turning to the east to admire the tints painted on the clouds by the coming god of day, now snapping off a blossoming head of clover or dandelion. He was an intellectual looking person, with a cast of countenance denoting the artistic or imaginative faculty, straight and slender, with a mass of black hair falling down over his coat collar.

Presently he took out his watch, noted the hour and muttered:

"It is time some of them should arrive."

A moment later the grinding of wheels was heard and another carriage came in sight, drove to where the man was standing, stopped, a gentleman alighted and stood face to face with the first comer. He was followed by two companions, one carrying a bundle of foils, the other a box.

"Ah, M. Charlier," said the newcomer, "why do I find you here alone? Whefe are the seconds?"

"Wait," said M. Charlier. "You are not the only person I am to meet this morning. There are several persons who wish to deprive me of my life, and I propose that all shall have a fair chance."

"'First come, first served,' is a good rule. I solicit the privilege of taking my revenge before any one else has had a chance to deprive me of it. The insult I have received cannot possibly have been equaled. I demand an opportunity to show you"—

Meanwhile another carriage drove up, and out stepped another party. This time there were two men carrying foils and, as before, one bearing a box. The principal could easily be recognized from the surprise with which he noticed that a party similar to his own had arrived before him.

"Pardon me, gentlemen," he said. "What does this mean?"

"It means, M. de Musser," said Charlier, "that M. Rubidoux here, having demanded satisfaction, as you have done, is entitled to it as much as you."

"But M. Rubidoux cannot possibly have the grievance that I have. Some petty breach of etiquette, perhaps, while I"—

Again there was a sound of wheels.

"What do you mean, M. Charlier?" asked M. Rubidoux. "Are these carriages intended for your funeral train?"

"They bear other persons who come here for satisfaction."

Two more carriages stopped, and from each a party alighted, all looking astonished at seeing so many persons present. M. Charlier stepped forward to introduce them.

"M. Rubidoux, M. de Musser, permit me to present M. Tetedoux and M. Cardiac."

All four men bowed very low, taking off their hats and stirring up considerable dust with the wind made by their sweeps. Their attendants stood in groups, looking on, wondering at the strange turn the affair had taken.

"If all those you expect," said M. Rubidoux, "are present I beg to say to them that, as first comer, I shall insist"—

"And I, too, insist," interrupted De Musser.

"Gentlemen!" exclaimed M. Tetedoux in a sonorous bass voice.

"Gentlemen!" cried M. Cardiac in tones of a shrill reed instrument.

Charlier folded his arms and waited.

"This fellow," cried Rubidoux, "has sought to save himself from my just wrath by picking a quarrel with so many that he thinks all not being able to take satisfaction we will let him off. I propose we cast lots for first chance."

"Agreed!" cried all the others at once. Charlier himself wrote their names each on a separate bit of paper, put them in a hat, one of the seconds drew, and the first chance fell to M. Rubidoux. They fought, and M. Rubidoux was so eager to finish the case himself that he fenced hotly and badly. Presently his foil went flying in the air. He was obliged to give way to the next man whose name had been drawn, and M. Cardiac stood up before the victor.

"I'll show you that you cannot insult me by drawing what you conceive to be my character in your miserable novel with impunity."

"What novel?" asked De Musser.

"'Moi,'" replied Cardiac. "Jules Garnier in that story is a caricature of myself."

"Not at all," put in M. Tetedoux, "Garnier was drawn from me."

"Gentlemen," interrupted M. Rubidoux, "I think I can convince you that the portrait is intended to be mine when I tell you that M. Charlier sent me a copy of the book to read."

"He sent me a copy!" exclaimed M Tetedoux.

"And me! And me!" cried both the others.

Charlier smiled ironically.

"Gentlemen," he said, "the portrait of Jules Garnier was drawn from myself."

It was some time before he could convince each of the men that he was not caricatured, but they all finally gave way, and he invited them to breakfast with him. The next morning an account of the affair appeared in the morning papers, and all Paris rushed to the book stands to buy a copy of "Moi."

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Our line of Silk Suits are now being offered at special prices. These are the height of fashion, special at.....$25.00, $30.00 and $35.00

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Our stock of Spring Coats has been divided into two special lots for easy selection:
Lot One—Women's Spring Coats in new weaves and colorings, special at each.....$14.95
Lot Two—Assorted new weaves and colors in Spring Models, special at each.....$9.95
Our stock of Children's Coats are assembled into two groups at special prices:
Group One—Special at each.....$3.95
Group Two—Special at each.....$4.95

Millinery

Our entire stock of trimmed hats has been divided into two special lots for quick clean-up.
Lot One—Special at each $2.45
Lot Two—Special at each $3.95
We also have a beautiful assortment of new summer Hats in white Satin and white and colored felt. These are now on display for your inspection.

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One special lot of wash dresses for women, carried over styles slightly soiled; special at each...$1.95
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Two special lots of discontinued models in front and back lace corsets has been arranged for quick selling.
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CHIMNEY SWEEP— Will be in Maryville for next two weeks to clean and repair your chimneys. Call Han. 3531. 21-5

LOST—Kit of automobile tools between Phipps' garage and mile south of town. Reward. Return to Democrat-Forum office. 25-27*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—This week only for cash. Kramer's Kream Flour, per sack, $3.00; ½ sack, $1.55. Maryville Feed and Milling Co., Farmers phone 230; Hanamo 110. 25-27

FOR SALE—At auction July 2, 2 p. m., good, modern residence, corner Market and First streets. 26-30*

FOR SALE—Good work horse, weight about 1,300; also yearling bull. Ora Green, 1113 East First. 25-27*

FOR SALE—Gasoline baller, 10-horse power engine, new, with a wood saw. Also heifer calf, 6 weeks old. 603 South Main. Han. 6483. 26-28

FOR SALE—About 500 loads of dirt. Martin Borrusch. Han. phone 587. 26-28*

FOR SALE—Overland roadster, 1917 model. This car has been run only 1,700 miles and will be sold at a bargain. Inquire this office. 27-29

FOR SALE—Six-shoel Oliver cultivator, good as new. See J. J. Hall, north of postoffice. 25-27*

FOR SALE—Car of Missouri coal on track. Popular prices. For immediate delivery. Yowell & Sons. 25-27*

FOR SALE—At Wilderman's Garage 30x3 Goodrich tires, $9.90 each; 30x3 U. S. tires, $10.00 each; 30x3 Goodyear tires, $10.00 each; 30x3 Ajax tires, $10.75 each. 27-29

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WANTED—Farm hand, married or single. A. L. Oakerson, Maryville, route 1, box 28. Phone 11-16 Skidmore. 25-27

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Call Hanamo 412. 25-27

WANTED—White girl for general housework. One who can go home nights preferred. Mrs. Ed Masters, Phone 6463. 26-28

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FOR RENT—Suite of rooms over Remus' store. Martin Borrusch, Han. phone 587. 26-28*

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BOTH PHONES

Glendale Park, purchased by the city of Savannah twenty-five years ago, is now being improved and cleaned up for use again after seven years of rest. It is there that Savannah will celebrate the Fourth says the Reporter.

Mrs. M. Carter of Burlington Junction was in Maryville today.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wells of Hopkins are the guests for a couple of days of their daughter, Mrs. Tim Butts south of Maryville.

Will Build Home Soon

Dr. Will Wallis, Jr., has purchased the Cline and Felix lots at the corner of Third and Dunn streets. He intends to build soon.

Will Administer Estate.

Frances Koppen was appointed administrator of the estate of Matthew Koppen of Conception Junction, who was struck by lightning and killed June 27, 1917, in the Probate Court today.

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MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, June 27.— WHEAT — July, $2.08; Sept., $1.84.

CORN—July, $1.59¾; Sept., $1.44⅝ @ $1.44¼.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, June 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 12,000; steers, $10.13@$10.25; cows, $6.12@$6.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; top, $15.70; bulk, $15.50@$15.60.

SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000; market, weak to 5c lower.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, June 27.—CATTLE— Receipts, 21,000; market, 5c lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 30,000; market, 10c lower; top, $15.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, 16,000; market, strong.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, June 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000; market, weak.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,500; market, 10c lower; top, $15.60.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

Butterfat, per lb	33c
Eggs, per doz	25c
Hens, per lb	16c
Hides, per lb	16c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	8c
Roosters, per lb	10

Always a Fighter.

In "Lloyd George, the Man and His Story," we are told that Lloyd George was a fighter from the beginning and that one of his earliest foes was the Established church. At twenty-five he beat out the clergy in their effort to keep an old Nonconformist father from being buried beside his daughter in the churchyard of a village at the foot of Snowdon. "Take the coffin in by force," said he, "if necessary. If the churchyard gates are locked against you break them down." It was done so, and the chief justice at London upheld the local jury which decided that the action was within rights.

Making a Marine.

It takes longer to make an efficient marine than to make an infantryman. This because the marine is a man of many specialties. He is, of course, in season and out of season, an international policeman. That's his job in time of peace. But when he fares abroad to fight his country's battles he may be called upon to do almost any kind of work. He may be an artilleryman, a signalman, an airman. He may be, and usually is, anything that his country needs at that particular time. And he is trained to meet the emergency.

Lime in the Garden.

Lime will speed up garden crops. It is particularly beneficial on new land. For both flower and vegetable gardens hydrated lime is safest to use. Sprinkle it around the base of the plants and along the rows close to the plants, but not touching them, and work it in the soil.—New York Sun.

Success.

"My first rich patient was the making of me," confessed the doctor.

"Did you make a marvelous cure?"

"Oh, no. But I got enough money to move into a fashionable neighborhood, and then I called myself a specialist."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Harvey L. Haines left today for Kansas City on a business trip.

NEWS FROM ALL NORTHWEST MISSOURI

No longer worrying about the price of sugar a Maitland man is confident that the coming autumn will reveal a hidden treasure on his premises. A large tree, hollow from the ground up, has lately been chosen as a home by a large swarm of bees.

It required twelve automobiles to transport the Maitland Boy Scouts to Campfire Girls to their second annual encampment at the Bilgelow lake last week. In two years, Rev. W. H. Frame has built up a strong troop of scouts and Mrs. Frame has succeeded similarly with the girls' organization, says the Herald.

A dozen years ago a traveling man named Harry Graham went out hunting with a customer at Maitland. He may have had a jolly good time and sold a bill of goods but somewhere on the outing he lost a valuable watch—a treasured gift. Last week the timepiece was plowed up in a field and is virtually uninjured and will be returned to the original owner, says the Herald.

You can believe anything you hear about a tornado. Laws of nature seem to be whacked when a twister comes. If one tells you that straws are driven into a tree like nails, don't sneer; because he can take you to the scene of last Tuesday's storm here in Mercer county and show you. If you are told that hide was peeled from a cat's back, feathers picked from chickens, horses ears taken off, hogs neatly scraped, sod skimmed off the ground as if done with a spade, people's clothes torn from their backs, trees two feet through twisted off and their butts splintered into toothpicks, buildings completely blown away and joists from good, solid houses torn out and left sticking i nthe ground like flag poles, don't question his sanity. He can produce the proof. Much of this the writer saw after the tornado passed, and his ideas about storm stories were materially changed.—W. C. Price, in a special, illustrated edition of the Princeton Post.

An instance of frightfulness similar to that of the kaiser's own is reported from Forest City. A farm wife, resolved to protect her chicks from the rats, provided them with metal coops having a perforated door for ventilation. The other night the rats unable to enter the coop, seized the feet of several chicks that had crowded near the door for fresh air and gnawed their legs off close up to the body.

Almost miraculously, John Smalley of near Ravanna lived through the recent tornado to tell a strange experience. He was in the woods when the storm struck. Dropping flat on the ground he held fast to the small brush while great trees were snapped and twisted all about him. The wind whipped him up and down against the ground, says the Princeton Post, but he kept his hold.

Worth county's record wool check was given E. W. Salmon last week at Grant City. For 2,643 pounds sheared from 318 sheep he received at 63 cents a pound, a total of $1,668.87, says the Times.

Speaking of the recent tornado in DeKalb county a correspondent of the Maysville Herald says: "The usual freaks were present, such as shingles being driven into the bodies of trees, and milk pans and crocks left standing by the side of a strong building torn completely away."

Cars in the center and teams at the rack is the new hitching rule on the streets of Grant City.

Several fawns are in captivity as pets in farm homes near Graham. Some years ago Dick Kyle had a herd of thirty deer and when they became too numerous he turned them loose. They continue to multiply in that locality and it is said the fawns are easily captured and make docile pets.

Thirty-four spring chickens were marketed at Guilford one day last week by J. Z. Pugh. They brought 28 cents a pound and averaged a little less than 62 cents each, or $21 for the lot.

A new terror has been added to moving day for Fred Swafford of Richmond, says the Missourian. Among the household effects to be transported from one house to another was a bottle of carbolic acid. Fearing to pack it promiscuously with other articles he slipped it into his vest pocket for safety. But while he was on his way to the new home the stopper came out of the bottle, saturated his clothing and resulted in a serious burn on his chest.

Yes, thanks, the Missouri sheriff, Joe Ballard, continues to put the bootleggers on the run down in Texas. To date, says the Liberty Tribune, Joe Ballard, sheriff of Waurika has captured 14 automobiles and has dumped upon the ground 1,500 gallons of liquor.

With his foretop burned white and his eyes full of wet lime a Leeton lad was the unwilling example that may save other boys from similar trouble. Ralph Taylor, says the Times, put about a half gallon of unslacked lime in a vessel and covered it with water. Then he went over to watch its bubblings just in time to receive the forcible explosion in his face. Fortunately for his eyesight the shot centered on his forehead and though painfully injured the boy will recover.

Park College at Parkville has established a canning factory which is a model of neatness and efficiency. Under competent instruction the students made their first canning of strawberries and cherries with the new equipment last week.

Twenty barrels of oil a day is expected soon to flow from a new oil well on the McGee Evans farm just north of North Kansas City, says the Liberty Advance. It is the most promising find yet made in that locality.

A new Model 8 linotype machine is on its way to the office of the Plattsburg Leader with the new editor and publisher C. F. Ward, formerly of the Liberty Advance, will make one of the leading newspapers of northwest Missouri.

Having cost originally $11,000 and being insured for but $4,000 the Lathrop House at Lathrop, was destroyed by fire June 16, its loss being a heavy addition to the burden of fireloss recently sustained by Lathrop's business section.

After a taste of 24-hour electric light and power service Rock Port must now content itself with a 10-hour service of only fair efficiency, says the Tarkio Avalanche. Though they agreed to furnish 24-hour service the owners of the plant now declare that a flaw in the franchise endangers their plant and that only part time service will be given until that is cleared up.

Very optimistic predictions on the oats and wheat crop are quoted in the Plattsburg Leader. Ralph Rand, a grain buyer of that vicinity says oats will be a bumper crop there and that wheat is a far better prospect than it was a few weeks ago.

A mystery attends a recent shipment of hogs from Hopkins to St. Joseph, says the Journal. When the car left Hopkins it contained 89 hogs but when opened at its destination it contained only 81. The loss, amounting to $250 still is unexplained.

Farmers have been very busy for the past ten days and crops are looking fine, while the late planting of corn is looking much better than at this time last year. It has been thoroughly cleaned of weeds and the prospects of a bumper crop are good.—Tarkio Avalanche.

It is reported that the wheat is not filling as it should. This cold weather is getting to be a serious proposition with the farmers. Two reports from different localities are that we had a light frost one night last week, but no damage was done.—Bigelow correspondent in Oregon Sentinel.

Every day, the past week, the bottom farmers have been hauling home the seed corn shipped in by the Gallatin Commercial Club, to replant the overflowed lands. A great deal of replanting has been done and with favorable weather it will be practically finished by June 25. The free exchange service supplied by the Daviess County Telephone Co., has rendered a valuable aid and scores of persons have been supplied with plants, implements, exchanged work, etc.—Gallatin North Missourian.

General E. H. Crowder, in charge of America's conscription work, is a north Missouri product, says the Trenton Republican-Tribune. He graduated from Grand River College in Grundy county and was appointed to West Point from this district by Judge K. A. BeBolt of Trenton. After his graduation from West Point, Crowder was given a position as military instructor in the U. of M. at Columbia. He served for some time abroad, during the Boxer rebellion, and gained much distinction as a soldier and strategist.

The grittiest man has been found at Jamesport and this, from the Jamesport Gazette will prove it: George Thompson was returning to Jamesport from Kansas City last week when the flood was at its height. At Gallatin he found the train service annulled but, anxious to get home, he took off his shoes and proceeded to wade across the bottoms on the ties. He waded water waist-deep, feeling his way along with the aid of two poles. Time and again he missed his footing and went down between the ties where the track had been washed off the dump. He broke both his poles and barked both shins and was otherwise bruised. He waded fully a half-mile and was an hour and a half covering that distance. When he reached this side he caught a ride on a work train and reached home without further trouble.

The Mound City News-Jeffersonian tells of a sad accident which befell little Mary Killion, baby daughter of the policeman who lost his life in St. Joseph two weeks ago. While staying at her grandmother's home in Moud City little Mary found a cup of coal oil and drank enough of it to strangle her and seriously injure her throat.

There have been greater difficulties in the newspaper business than paper shortage. From "Sixty Years Ago" in the Savannah Reporter we gather the intricate details explaining just how and why Mr. Gentry, editor of the "Eagle," horsewhipped Mr. Whittaker, who was wrongfully accused of being editor of the "Democrat" and how Whittaker whipped Gentry and bit a chunk out of his leg.

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